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HAVE RIGHT OF EMINENT DOMAIN

Investors Behind Dam Project Can Take Land Same As Railroad Company.

SUPREME COURT DEFINES LAW WHICH DECIDES MATTER

An Act of the Legislature of 1889 Makes Sailing for Companies Very Easy—Meikleham & Dinsmore Will Probably Follow Law.

Since Meikleham & Dinsmore came in to this section for the purpose of building a dam in the Susquehanna river near Towanda, and have experienced so much difficulty in securing the needed land at reasonable or real value prices, the question has often been asked: "Why don't they exercise the right of eminent domain, the same as a railroad company would do?"

The fact of the matter is, attorneys interested in the matter have been undecided as to whether such a course could be pursued within the law. But the question has been decided once and for all, for an act of the legislature of 1889 decides the matter beyond a question, giving such corporations as the one interested in the dam project, the right of eminent domain.

What is more, a recent decision of the Supreme court of Pennsylvania clearly defines private and public enterprises, and the one in which all Towanda is interested in comes under the head of "public," and is therefore entitled to exercise the right of eminent domain, or in other words to take needed land by condemnation proceedings.

Here is the act of 1889 in full, which it is expected Meikleham & Dinsmore will follow, and in case they do, those who have put fancy prices upon their land will find themselves out in the cold.

A further supplement to an act, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved the twenty-ninth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventyfour, amending the second and thirty-fourth sections thereof, providing for the incorporation of additional corporations, extending the provisions thereof and authorizing companies incorporated for the supply of water to the public, or for the supply of water and water power for commercial and manufacturing purposes, to condemn property and rigats for the purpose of obtaining and supplying water or water power.

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That the ninth paragraph of the second class, title corporations for profit, of the second section of the act, entitled "An act to provide the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April twenty-ninth one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, which reads as follows:

"IX. The supply of water to the public," be amended so as to read as follows:

IX. The supply of water to the public, or the supply, storage or transportation of water and water power for the commercial and manufacturing purposes.

Section 2. That clause two, of section thirty-four, of said act of April twenty-ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, which reads as follows:

"Where such company shall be incorporated for the supply of water, they shall have power to provide, erect and maintain all works and machinery necessary or proper for raising and introducing into the town, borough, city or district where they may be located, a sufficient supply of pure water, and for that purpose may provide, erect and maintain all proper buildings, cisterns, reservoirs, pipes and conduits, for the reception and conveyance of water; and they are authorized and empowered by themselves, their agents, engineers and workmen, and with their tools, carts, wagons, beasts of draught or burden, to enter upon such lands and enclosures, streets, lanes and alleys, roads, highways and bridges, as may be necessary to occupy, or obtain materials for construction of said works, and to occupy, ditch and lay pipes through the same, and the same from time to time to repair, subject to such regulations in regard to streets, roads lanes and other highways, as is provided in the foregoing section for gas companies; and if any injury be done to private property, the said company shall make compensation therefor, in the manner provided in the forty-first section of this act, "be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Where such companies shall be incorporated for the supply of water to the public, or for storing and transportation or supply of water and water power for commercial and manufacturing purposes, they shall have power to provide, erect and maintain all works and machinery necessary or porper for raising and introducing into the town, borough, city or district where they may be located a sufficient supply of pure water, or water and water power as aforesaid, and for that purpose may provide, erect and maintain all proper buildings, cisterns reservoirs, pipes and conduits, for the reception and conveyance of water or water power, and it shall have power to appropriate so much of the water from the rivers, creeks, canal waterrights and easements, within or without the limits of th city, borough or place in which said company may by its charter be located, as may be necessary for its purposes, and all damage done thereby shall be ascertained, recovered and paid as provided for in the forty-first section of the act to which this is a supplement; and it is further authorized and empowered by itself, its agents, engineers and workmen, and with its and their tools, carts, wagons, beasts of draught or burden, to enter upon such lands and enclosures, streets, lanes alleys, roads and highways and bridges, as may be necessary to occupy or to obtain materials for the construction of said works, and to occupy, ditch and lay pipes through the same and the same from time to time to repair, subject to such regulations in regard to streets, roads, lanes and other highways and impairing the free use thereof as little as possible, and subject to such regulations as the councils of said borough, town, city or district may adopt in regard to grades or for the protection and convenience of public travel over the same, and if any injury be done to private property the said company shall make compensation therefor in the manner provided for in the forty-first section of this act: Provided, That this act shall not apply to private spring or private water supplies.

Approved the 16 day of May, A. D 1889. James A. Beaver.

The 41st section of the act referred to in the foregoing defines the manner of proceeding in the act of condemnation. The land used, or damaged by the corporation is viewed by citizens of the district, and they fix the amount which the owner shall receive, taking into consideration the value of the land before and after the improvement.

BODY OF MISS MULLANEY FOUND FLOATING ON LAKE.

Corpse Was Badly Decomposed--Third Tragic Death in Family.

The body of Miss Beatrice Mullaney, who with William Yorkey, went down to death in Owasco lake at Auburn, early last Sunday morning was found floating on the lake surface Thursday morning.

Wednesday, the Auburn Water company offered a reward of $200 for the recovery of the body, for the company obtains its water supply from the lake. This reward caused those who were searching to renew their efforts. They had dragged the lake almost day and night and were becoming discouraged. Early yesterday morning one of the searching party saw something floating on the lake and soon afterwards the body was ashore.

The body is badly decomposed, and for that reason could not be removed to Pennsylvania for burial. The funeral was held at Auburn Friday morning at 10:30 o'clock, and interment was made at Auburn.

Miss Mullaney is the third of her family to meet a tragic fate. Her grandfather was burned to death, and her own father was killed in a fall from a cherry tree at the Mullaney home in Ulster township.

Former Towanda Boy's Long Swim.

On Saturday last a 12-year-old boy, Mitchell Morrison, son of John M. Morrison, of Ithaca, swam across Cayuga lake from Glenwood, a distance of a little less than two miles, in just 50 minutes. The lake record was made by Harold Walker, a Cornell student, last year, in 39 minutes, the lake being somewhat narrower where he swam at McKinney's. Mr. and Mrs. John M. Morrison, parents of the remarkable boy swimmer, are well known in Towanda, the family having resided here, Mr. Morrison being engaged in the tailoring.

Judge Terry Fined.

Judge Terry, who presides over the courts of Sullivan and Wyoming counties, caught more fish than the law allows the other day, and was appraised of the fact by two state constables. He paid his fine without a whimper.

Woman Sues Dentist.

Suit to recover $1,000 damages from Dr. C. C. Laubach, a Scranton deutist, was filed Thursday by Mrs. Catherine Ruane of Dunmore. The plaintiff alleges that in August, 1907, the doctor extracted one of her teeth and splintered the jawbone in the operation.

HENRY STREETER DIES SUDDENLY

One of Towanda's Best Known Citizens Found Dead in Bed Monday Morning.

HAD BEEN IN POOR HEALTH FOR SEVERAL MONTHS

Death Was Not Unexpected to His Physician and Intimate Friends—Had Prepared For Sudden Summons and End Came As He Slept.

Henry Streeter, Esq., one of Towanda's best known attorneys and citizens was found dead in bed in the Streeter apartments in the Ward house Monday morning about 7:30 o'clock. The discovery was made by the aged mother of the deceased. Death was due to Angina Pectoris, or neuralgia of the heart.

His sudden demise, while a severe shock to his many friends, was not wholly unexpected. Mr. Streeter had been in poor health since last March, when his physician, Dr. D. Leonard Pratt, diagnosed his ailment as neuralgia of the heart. From the first, he was made aware of the seriousness of his complaint, and he followed the advise of his physician, closed up his estate and all his business, relieving his mind of such cares, in the hopes that his health would be benefitted.

Last week, in company with his physician, he visited New York, and returned in good shape, having stood the journey well. Sunday he was out, and was in his usual health, and seemed good for a long time. Sunday evening about nine o'clock, he talked with Dr. Pratt on the street, and his condition at that time was encouraging. A short time later he retired, and was soon wrapped in peaceful slumber.

Evidently, death claimed him as he slept, for after the spark of life had fled, his countenance was calm, indicating that the end had come gently and without pain.

Sketch of His Life.

Henry Streeter, Esq., was in his 61st year at the time of his death. He was born at Montrose, the only son of Hon. F. B. Streeter, who was president judge of Bradford county from 1865 to 1874.

He was educated in the public schools and prepared for college, entering Union College at Schenectady, N. Y., from which institution he graduated in 1869. He was admitted to the Bradford County Bar in 1872, and soon after formed a law partnership with W. A. Peck, the firm name being Peck & Streeter. Mr. Peck was attorney for the Lehigh Valley Railroad company, and soon after the forming of the partnership, Mr. Streeter was chosen for that responsible position, which he continued to fill with satisfaction to the railroad company and to the credit of the profession until a few months ago when the condition of his health compelled his retirement, after over 30 years of faithful service.

Mr. Streeter was a man of wealth and enterprise, and he has been prominently identified with the advancement and growth of Towanda. A few months ago he was elected president of the Citizens National bank to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the late Morris Shepard, and in that position he showed his excellent judgment and farsightedness for which he was noted among his friends and acquaintances.

Mr. Streeter took a great interest in the Packer hospital, probably giving more attention to that institution than any person outside of the employees. For years he had been president of the hospital association in whose keeping is the destiny of the institution, and to that office he gave his very best attention.

As a citizen Henry Streeter was ideal; as a lawyer, he was a credit to the profession, and to every trust as to every friend, he was faithful.

While much could be said of the public life of the deceased, yet his home life shows him best as a real man and citizen. Since the death of his father, he and his mother have been boon companions, and their joys and sorrows have been shared together. Through the long years since the death of the husband and father, the son who is now no more, gave his tenderest care to his aged mother, and for her welfare he only worried. When told that his ailment was dangerous, and that the end might come any time, he complained not, and expressed but one wish and that was for his dear old mother, who he said was dearer to him than the greatest promises of life that could be made. For her welfare he planned, and his arrangements were so complete that when he lay down for the last time, it was with the knowledge that every duty had been fulfilled.

While of an unassuming, and retiring disposition, his profession brought him in contact with many people, and his straightforward, though gentle manners made friends of all with whom he had dealings. He was generous, contributing liberally to charitable and religious societies thus using his wealth to good advantage.

He was not a member of any lodge, and when not at his office, he was always to be found in his apartments in the Ward house with his mother at his side.

His untimely demise is deeply deplored by all who knew and loved him, and to his mother it is a crushing blow. He was unmarried, and besides his aged mother, is survived by the following relatives: An uncle, Rienzi Streeter of Hartford, Susquehanna county; an aunt, Mrs. J. P. Chambers of Honesdale; cousins, D. T. Chambers of Honesdale, R. A. Streeter of Chicago, Miss Emma Smith of Wellsburg, and Edgar A. Turrell of Montrose.

The Funeral.

Funeral services for the late Henry Streeter, Esq., were held Tuesday evening at 7:30 in the Ward house parlors. A large number of people were present to pay their last respects to one whom they admired and esteemed in life. Rev. Edwin A. Gernant, rector of Christ Church conducted the services, which were brief. The funeral party departed on the train leaving Towanda at 7:14 a. m. Wednesday going to Montrose where they were met by members of the Susquehanna County Bar association, and friends. Interment was made in the Montrose cemetery. The pallbearers were: Hon. A. C. Fanning, Rodney A. Mercur, Esq., William Maxwell, Esq., Hon. J. K. Newell, J. M. Rahm, Heister Piollet, C. P. Welles, and William Foyle, Esq. Rev. Mr. Gernant had charge of the services at the grave.

TOWANDA TEAM TOO FAST FOR CANTON AGGREGATION.

City of Promise Diamond Doers Get Away With Contest 7—6.

The Towanda baseball team proved too fast for the Canton team at Canton Friday afternoon defeating them by the score of 7—6. Cotter was in the box for the City of Promise representatives, and Canton only got seven hits. Besides pitching a good game, Cotter made a triple, a double and two singles out of five times at bat. One of his two baggers was made with two men on bases.

The features of the game was the battery work of Cotter and Bazzett and the fielding of Splann for the Towandians. He made the greatest catch ever pulled off on the Canton grounds, and prevented two men from scoring. When he pulled in the ball after a long run, the big crowd arose as one and gave him the glad hand.

Canton had an imported battery, Mawbough of Knoxville, and Munroe of Elmira. Mawbough was driven to the tall uncut in the seventh inning by a bombardment from the Towandians, and Davidson took his place. Mawbough made a sensational play before retiring, pulling down a terrific line drive and doubling to second.

The score by innings:

Towanda .....2 0 0 0 2 3 0 0 0—7
Canton .....2 0 2 0 0 0 1 1 0—6

Summary—Hits by Towanda 10; by Canton 7; struck out by Cotter 10; Mawbough 6; base on balls off Cotter 1; off Maubough 4; two base hits Cotter, S. Putnam and Munroe; three base hit Cotter; double plays Canton two. Umpire, Packard.

Depositors Slow.

Some two months ago the state officials in charge of the affairs of the defunct Binghamton Trust Company, sent out requests to all creditors, with blank forms, requesting that all depositors make the required verified claims against the bank before August 1. Thus far over 6,300 persons have filed claims, but some 1,500 of the depositors have failed to do so. The deputy superintendent now in charge, states that all who delay beyond August 10, the making of such claims will not share in the first dividend, which it is expected to make the letter part of September, or as soon as claims can be verified and accounts figured. As yet no statement is made as to the amount of the dividend to be paid.

Tunkhannock Business Change.

A Tunkhannock correspondent says: Judge James L. Vose has retired from the insurance firm of Lewis & Vose with which he has been connected for many years, and the business will hereafter be conducted by B. W. and H. M. Lewis. Judge Vose will still conduct his business as pension attorney.

Had Bad Fall.

Clyde Mills, an employe of the Haws-LaAnna company, fell down an elevator shaft in the toy factory Saturday afternoon. He dropped from the second to the first floor, striking on his back. No bones were broken, but he was considerably bruised.

LOST HIS LIFE IN THE RIVER

Bruce Hoadley of Athens, Drowned Near Rummerfield Friday Afternoon.

HE WAS A MEMBER OF A CAMPING PARTY

Treacherous Canoe From Which He Was Fishing Upset—Frank Smith Who Was With Him, Made Unsuccessful Attempt at Rescue.

Bruce Hoadley, a well known Athens citizen, was drowned in the Susquehanna river at a point about a mile and a half below Rummerfield Friday afternoon. The upsetting of a canoe from which he was fishing was the cause of the accident.

Hoadley was a member of a camping party which had pitched a tent near Kerrick's cottage camp, some distance below Rummerfield. In this party besides Hoadley were Frank Smith and Oscar Clapper, also of Athens. Hoadley was about 35 years of age, while Smith and Clapper are much younger.

Fishing From Canoe.

The party made the trip from Athens to the camp ground in two canoes. Friday afternoon about 1:30, Hoadley and Smith went out on the river to fish, leaving Clapper to do the camp work. They were drifting along with the current, and when at a point where the river surges toward the railroad tracks, the canoe upset, and both Smith and Hoadley went into the water which is about ten or twelve feet deep at this point.

Smith grabbed hold of the overturned canoe, and did his best to help Hoadley, who seemed utterly powerless and unable to swim. He struggled with him until nearly exhausted, and then let go, making his way to shore, where he undressed and once free of his cumbersome clothes again plunged into the water and tried to locate Hoadley, but was unsuccessful.

Body Recovered.

Samuel H. Vannest and Theodore Dodge, who were working in the woods some distance away, were summoned, and they went into the river, and found Hoadley's body near where he was last seen by Smith. The body was taken ashore and an attempt made to resuscitate him, but without success.

Dr. T. Ben Johnson, county coroner, was summoned and went to the scene. Smith's straightforward story of the accident, setting forth the facts substantially as here given, satisfied him, and he decided that an inquest was unnecessary.

BODY OF BRUCE HOADLEY TAKEN TO ATHENS FOR BURIAL

Mr. and Mrs. Lyon of Binghamton, on Saturday claimed the body of Bruce Hoadley, the Athens man, who was drowned Friday afternoon below Rummerfield, and removed it to Athens Sunday morning where the funeral was held and interment made. Mrs. Lyon is a sister of the unfortunate man.

Hoadley, who lost his life by the upsetting of a canoe, gained considerable notoriety some months ago when his wife was reported to have been drowned near Easton, Pa. Hoadley went to Easton and identified the corpse as that of his wife, and had made arrangements for the burial of the remains, when his wife, alive and well, walked into her mother's home at Athens. The Easton authorities were puzzled, and would not believe she was alive until after they had made a trip to Athens, saw her in the flesh and blood, and acknowledged by her mother.

Hoadley returned to Athens, and with his wife commenced housekeeping. That he should meet the death which his wife was supposed to have met, is one of the caprices of fate.

Why Not?

Sayre, Pa., Aug. 1, 1909.

Editor Review:

Some time ago, I noticed an article in the Reporter-Journal from Hon. Louis Piollet in reference to some of the landowners where the proposed power dam is to be built, putting up the price of their holdings to $500 per acre. Mr. Piollet made the point that no land in this part of the country was worth $500 per acre for farm purposes, which assertion is no doubt true. Now, would it not be a good idea to have the assessors put up the assessed price of said land and give the owners a dose of their own medicine, which might bring them to see where they stand?

Very respectfully,
J. B. JOHNSON.

Small ads pay.

SIX PRESIDENTS OF CITIZENS NATIONAL DIE IN OFFCE.

The First President, J. P. Kirby, is Still Alive and in Good Health.

The death of Henry Streeter, Esq., president of the Citizens National Bank of Towanda, calls to mind a somewhat remarkable case of longevity, and a still more remarkable instance of mortality in the occupants of one position and the survivorship of the first. The Citizens Bank was organized and began business in 1876, and Job P. Kirby, now a resident of California, was its first president. He will be 95 years old in December next, and enjoys a good degree of health. Mr. Kirby has had six successors to the position and they are now all dead. The seven presidents served in the following order: J. P. Kirby, E. T. Fox, B. M. Peck, E. O. Macfarlane Edward Overton, Morris Shepard and Henry Streeter. Of Mr. Kirby's six successors all but one—Judge Peck, died while holding the office. Mr. Peck was elected to the presidency of the bank in 1887, and resigned after he was elected judge of this judicial district in 1890.

Another remarkable thing in connection with the presidents of the Citizens National is the fact that six of them have died in office, yet they all lived to good ages, and in some cases beyond the years alloted to man. Mr. Macfarlane and Mr. Streeter were the youngest to be called from life's work.

Party at Burlington.

Saturday evening, Aug. 7, the home of M. F. Hulslander of Burlington, was a scene of mirthful festivity when 20 lads and lassies gathered to remind Alfred that he had arrived at the 16th mile stone in the road of life. The evening was pleasantly spent in games and music and at 10 o'clock two sets of puzzle slips were distributed; one to the misses and the other to the gents. The young gentlemen then sought the companion slip of his puzzle and with the fair owner partook of ice cream and cake served by Miss Frances Hulslander of Porto Rico, who is spending the summer at home. Before midnight the happy party bade good-night to the hostess, leaving many little tokens and wishes for a hundred happy returns of the day.

Williamsport Commercial College.

Bookkeeping, Shorthand, Typewriting and Preparatory school. Largest Commercial School in Central Penna. Fall term begins Sept. 1st. New catalogue gives the names of 900 students holding positions. Write for it. F. F. Healey, Proprietor.

Will Meet at Scranton.

The annual meeting of the Seven County Veteran association will be held at Luna Park, Scranton, on Thursday, Aug. 19. A record breaking attendance is expected.

"I suffered habitually from constipation. Doan's Regulets relieved and strengthened the bowels, so that they have been regular ever since."—A. E. Davis, grocer, Sulphur Springs, Tex.

NEWS NOTES FROM NEARBY PLACES

What is Occurring in Many Cities and Towns Hereabouts.

INTERESTING HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY MENTIONED

Seventeen Years Old Wilkes-Barre Girl Fatally Wounds Mother While Shooting at a Cat—Elmiran Makes Big Jump For Two Dollars.

The Lehigh freight office at Upper Pittston, was robbed of $36 on Tuesday night.

The Ithaca Daily News tells of the death of "Miss Angeline Yates, aged 900 years."

Two dozen fine chickens owned by Edward Withy of East Athens, were stolen Friday night.

The foundation walls for the new $10,000 Triton club house at Tunkhannock were completed last week.

Following a quarrel with her husband, Mrs. William Gauss attempted suicide at her home in Corning Thursday.

A detatchment of state police have established headquarters at Tunkhannock and are watching for fish law violators.

To win a bet of $2, Fred Backer of Elmira, jumped 30 feet into the Chemung river and was seriously injured.

Hugh A. Lancaster has been postmaster of Sterling, Wayne county, for 55 years. Postmaster Lancaster is now in his 85th year.

A strike is threatened in two Scranton barber shops because of the failure of two master barbers to sign the new agreement with the union.

Mrs. Ansell Johnson of Painted Post, was compelled to give up $300 to two highwaymen who threatened to shoot her babe if she refused.

An Elmira boy fell from a porch and burst a blood vessel in his head. No ill effects were noticed until several hours later when the child became unconscious.

Donald Smith, a Wilkes-Barre boy has disappeared and no trace of him can be found. One hundred dollars is offered for information which will lead to his whereabouts.

Seventeen-year-old Mary Owens, of Wilkes-Barre, on Wednesday accidentally shot and fatally wounded her mother while shooting a large rat that had seized a small chicken.

The dog muzzling ordinance in Mansfield is being strictly enforced. Dogs not muzzled are impounded and if a fine of $1.25 is not paid within 48 hours from the time the canine is impounded it will be killed.

D. T. Evans

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D. T. Evans

NEWS ITEMS FROM COUNTY TOWNS

NEW ALBANY.

Mrs. Ray S. Wilcox spent part of last week with friends in Scranton.

Mrs. Kathryn Cluery is home from Paterson, visiting her parents.

Frank Arey and wife are spending the week, visiting relatives at Terrytown.

Jay Billings has been home from Wilkes-Barre.

John Corbin and wife are here from Galeton, on a visit.

Mrs. Lloyd Harshberger of Philadelphia has joined her husband on a visit at Dr. Harshberger's.

Mrs. Gordan James and little daughter of Sunbury have been visiting at the home of John Kift.

Leo Terry was over from Camptown part of last week.

Stanley Long has been visiting at the home of his cousin, Claude Long.

Prof. Gortner of Mansfield was visiting friends here, on Saturday.

Miss Minnie Billings, has been entertaining during last week at a house party at her home, the following young people: Misses Bess Crittenden of Oswego, Pa., Edna Church, Big Flats; Beatrice Crum, and Josephene Dyer, Athens; Bess Snyder, Sheshequin; Blanche Lane, Luthers Mills; Majorie Moody, Rome; Clara Moody, Canton; Mr. Dreilis, Gettysburg; Messers. Farrel and Owen, Picture Rocks; Bert Sumner, Milan; Harry Rightmire of Eaglesmere; Ralph Horton, New Era; and Mr. Dixon of Wilkes-Barre, were guests of Harry Brink's last week.

Miss Minnie Billings entertained about 75 young people, at her home in compliment to her guests, on Tuesday evening at a lawn party, refreshments, music, cards and social intercourse making the evening one of enjoyment.

Miss Marguerite Silvara has rereturned home after spending some weeks in Weshoppen.

Mrs. Randall, of New Era, has been visiting her daughter, Mrs George Martin.

ALBA.

Mrs. Minnie Crandall Lewis is visiting her sister, Mary Gould, of Troy.

The Shoemaker reunion was held at Errett Warren's on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ardell Packard and little Mildred called at M. L. Packard's on Sunday.

Mrs. Lucy Williams McMan of Williamsport is visiting friends here.

Mrs. Celestia Warren passed a week on the mountain with her son.

Borough council has been trimming up the maple trees in the borough.

Mrs. Case is cementing the stables under the barn on her farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Braun had two cows die the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reynolds from Philadelphia have come to spend two weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Reynolds.

B. J. Warren is slowly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Wilson went to Troy the first of the week to visit their daughter, Mrs. Everett Vandine, and met their son, Morell and others there, that had planned their homecoming at this time. Mrs. Wilson was taken suddenly ill, and remained unconscious till her death which occurred Friday night. Funeral services were held Monday at 2 o'clock at the Church of Christ.

ORWELL.

Miss Edna Owen of New York, is visiting at C. L. Dimmick's.

Mrs. J. C. Stoll is spending a week with her sister, Mrs. A. E. Tiffany, at Carbondale.

Miss Cora Humphrey of Connecticut, is visiting Mrs. G. C. Frisbie.

Miss Lillie Eastman has gone to Owego to spend a week with her brother, W. H. Eastman.

Miss Wenona Owen of Lestershire, and Miss Bernice Howe of Waverly, are visiting at C. P. Chubbuck's.

L. E. Beers left on Tuesday for Brooklyn, where he expects to spend some time with his sisters.

Miss Georgianna Marshall of Towanda, has been visiting Miss Vivien Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Chaffee were in Wilkes-Barre the first of the week.

Mrs. Lois Beers and son, Wilbur, are visiting friends in Brooklyn.

RUMMERFIELD.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hendershot of Asylum, called at J. J. Moon's Sunday

Rev. and Mrs. Jasper Taylor of Liberty Corners, visited at O. Sage's Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Squires of Towanda, visited the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Thetga, Sunday.

L. Huffmaster, who has been visiting friends in this place has returned to his home in Murray.

Raymond Vannest of Ludlowville was called here to attend the funeral of his mother, Mrs Ella Vannest.

ELLIS HILL.

Mrs. Adelaide Ellis has returned home after a two months' visit with friends in New Jersey.

Fred Green has returned home after spending some time at Monroeton.

Harold Kilmer is spending a few days at G. E. DeLong's at Tunkhannock.

Revolts At Cold Steel.

"Your only hope," said three doctors to Mrs. M. E. Fisher, Detroit, Mich. suffering from severe rectal trouble, lies in an operation," "then I used Dr. King's New Life Pills," she writes, "till wholly cured." They prevent Appendicitis, cure Constipation, Headache. 25c at Turner's Drug Store

WELLS.

A grange picnic will be held at Job's Corners on Saturday, August 14, 1909. Several eminent speakers are engaged for the occasion and a pleasant and interesting time is assured. The invitation is general to the genial farmers and all others to attend.

The base ball game last Saturday afternoon at Thompson Hill between the Columbia X Roads boys and Thompson Hill team was 22 to 16 in favor of Columbia X Roads.

Arthur Beisiegel and Lonnie Brown of North Tonawanda, N. Y., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Brown and other relatives and friends in this place

William H. Snedeker, who died quite suddenly last Friday while on a visit to his old home in the Lake district of New York state, was of the remarkable advanced age of ninety-two years. The remains were brought to his home at Snedekerville on Saturday and the funeral was held later at that place. Mr. Snedeker was the last of three respectable and distinguished pioneer men, who settled along the Northern Central railroad about the time it was built just south of Elmira after whom the three first stations were named, viz: Fassett, Gillett, after the late Hon. John F. Gillett, and Snedekers. Mr. Snedeker was a business man of remarkable ability and was well and favorably known throughout this county and other places. He had some relatives and many friends in this place.

Miss Mary Higgins and Joseph Brown, both of Job's Corners, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony on Saturday, August 7, 1909 by D. W. Sullivan, Justice of the Peace, at his home at Wells. Mr. and Mrs. Brown are a worthy young couple with a host of friends to extend them good wishes for future happiness and prosperity. This is said to be "Esquire" Sullivan's "first offense" in the matrimonial hitching. He almost turned white and the bride "turned Brown."

The third annual reunion of the Turk family will be held at Roricks Glen on Thursday, August 26, 1909. All relatives and friends of the family are cordially invited to attend.

The annual reunion of the Brewer family will be held this year at the home of J. O. Sterling and family near Mosherville.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cummins visited relatives at Wellsburg on Sunday.

Mrs. Curren, whose house was destroyed by fire last week, lost over $1,000. She and her husband are now settled near her old home.

James Watkins is able to sit up since his serious illness with typhoid fever.

Reuben Barnhard had about 20 chickens stolen the other night.

COLD CREEK.

Charles Gillman of Wilkes-Barre, is visiting his father at the Wesler farm.

The "Little Aid" will meet at Mrs. Eugene Donley's Thursday for dinner.

F. E. LeBourvean and family of New York city, are spending a few weeks' vacation at "Pine Grove Farm."

J. B. Stephens of Montrose, is getting out a directory of Wyalusing township. Mr. Ford is assisting him in the work.

G. N. Baker and F. E. Strupler of Herrick, called on relatives at this place Wednesday and enjoyed a day's outing at fishing.

This and Pine Grove schools will be concentrated at Stevensville for the ensuing year. F. F. Ford has been engaged to teach the higher grades.

The Sunday school will hold their annual basket picnic in Mr. Rockwell's grove, Thursday, Aug. 19. Addresses, music and a ball game will be the features of the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Keeler of Stevensville spent Sunday at the home of T. S. Keeler.

At the close of the services Sunday, Rev. A. A. Babcock, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Welles, C. F. Hay and family dined at H. V. Rockwell's.

SOUTH TOWANDA.

Misses Edith and Louise Thompson are visiting in Sayre.

Miss Edith Swartwood has returned home after spending some time in Utica, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stroud spent Sunday with the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Acla.

Misses Mary and Sadie Smith are visiting in Elmira.

The following people spent Sunday with Miss Bessie Hatch: Mr. and Mrs. Mila Hibbard of Towanda R. S. Hibbard of Evergreen, Miss Myrtle Corson of New Albany and Mr. Johnston of Elmira, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Leljeda' of Towanda, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Leljedal.

Mrs. Hair of Auburn, N. Y. is spending some time with her parents, Mr and Mrs. Delanson Fenner.

Soldier Balks Death Plot.

It seemed to J. A. Stone, a civil war veteran, of Kemp, Tex., that a plot existed between a desperate lung trouble and the grave to cause his death. "I contracted a stubborn cold," he writes, "that developed a cough that stuck to me, in spite of all remedies, for years. My weight ran down to 130 pounds. Then I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery, which restored my health completely. I now weigh 178 pounds." For severe Colds, obstinate Coughs, Hemorrhages, Asthma, and to prevent Pneumonia it's unrivaled. 50c. and $1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by Turner's Drug Store.

EAST TROY.

Floyd Cole of Elmira, is at his home here for a two weeks' vacation.

Miss Lotta Ellis is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Benedict, at Monroeton, for a short time.

The social on Saturday evening for the benefit of Hector Lodge, was a great success. There was a good delegation down from Leona, also Alba and Granville. It netted the lodge $19.50.

Emery Johnson had the misfortune to have his valuable horse die.

Nicholas Potter, who has been confined to his room and bed for over a year, died on Friday, Aug. 6, at noon. Mr. Potter was born at Wilkes-Barre, Jan. 5, 1814. For the past 16 years he has lived with his only daughter, moving here from Troy in 1838. He settled in Wells. Early in life he was married to Miss Huldah Wayman, an adopted daughter of Jesse Shepard. To them were born five children, all deceased but one. Mr. Potter was a self educated man, well read and owing to a bright intellect it was a pleasure to hear him tell of his early experience of life in the wilderness. He was of an inventive turn and had several different patents, among which was the famous tread power machine. Mr. Potter is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Loretta Loomis and her husband, two grandsons, Reid and Max Loomis, four great-grandsons, and several nieces. The funeral was held at the home of his daughter on Sunday afternoon Rev. Otto Nichols of the Baptist church of Troy, officiated. Interment was made in Glenwood cemetery, at Troy.

ORWELL RIDGE.

Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Ford returned home Saturday after a ten days' visit with friends at Binghamton.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Chaffee and family spent Wednesday with friends at Herrickville.

Miss Mildred Baker returned to her home at Herrickville on Wednesday, after spending a week with Mrs. M. B. Chaffee.

Miss Ruth Buttles of Rome, spent the last of the week with friends on the Ridge.

Miss Lillie Eastman spent several days last week as the guest of her brother, William, near Owego, N. Y.

Lewis Chaffee returned to his home in this place on Friday after spending a week with friends at Meshoppen.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Pickering of South Hill, spent Sunday with friends on the Ridge.

Miss Marjorie Chaffee spent the last of the week with her grandmother, Mrs. Hill, on South Hill.

Warner and Paul Tilton of LeRaysville, are spending some time with friends in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Chaffee and family attended the South Hill Ladies' Aid society at Mrs. Ella Buttles' on Wednesday of last week.

Miss Bertha Buttles of Rome, is spending a few days with friends in this vicinity.

WARRENHAM.

Harry Brainerd of New York city came Saturday to spend his vacation at the home of his grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Beardslee.

A good many from this place attended "Old Home Week" at Owego last week.

Fred Dewing and family of Binghamton are visiting at Andrew Dewing's.

Andrew Manchester spent Friday in Binghamton.

Marion Brainard is entertaining her friend, Miss Henrietta Hutchinson of New York.

Miss Frances Dewing is spending a few days in Binghamton with her sister, Mrs. Nathan Young.

Miss Nina Cass attended the Cass reunion at North Orwell Saturday.

WETONA.

Jay Ward of Towanda, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Braund.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Reeser of Rochester, are visiting relatives in Wetona.

Mr. and Mrs. James McCannon of Lodi, N. Y., are visiting their niece, Mrs. G. L. Hicks.

The ball game on Saturday between Leona and Wetona was won by Leona.

W. U. Young lost a valuable two year old colt one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Fuller spent last week with Berrytown friends.

The Ladies' Aid society will meet with Mrs. Sam Sargeant on Wednesday for dinner.

C. E. Hicks, who has been ill for the past four weeks, is slowly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Braund accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Havens, spent Sunday at Mt. Pisgah.

SPRINGFIELD.

Mrs. W. P. Hazelton and daughter went to Breesport last Monday to visit her son.

Clark Harkness of Illinois, is visiting his parents for a short time.

Mrs. Sarah Passage of Towanda, is visiting her son, Charles Gates.

Neva Harkness was a week end visitor at Centerville.

Mrs. Charles Gates entertained relatives from Sayre last week.

Nora Westbrook visited in Athens and Towanda last week.

Washington Once Gave Up

to three doctors; was kept in bed for five weeks. Blood poison from a spider's bite caused large, deep sores to cover his leg. The doctors failed, then "Bucklen's Arnica Salve completely cured me," writes John Washington, of Bosqueville, Tex. For eczema, boils, burns and piles its supreme. 25c at Turner's Drug Store.

EAST SMITHFIELD.

Mrs. Edith Carr and two sons of Elmira, have been the guests of her parents for the past two weeks.

O. J. Rowe and family and Mrs. William Stoddard of Oneonta, N. Y., made a visit to their relatives here recently. They came in an automobile.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Jefferson of Sayre, and Miss Emma Brock of Cleveland, were in town Sunday.

Rev. A. B. Scofield and family are guests at the home of S. W. Yontz.

Miss Ethel Kingsley has returned from Nichols, N. Y. Her young niece, Irene Bosworth, came with her to spend a few weeks.

The Gerould reunion and the Wood reunion will both be held early in September. It is one hundred years since the Wood ancestors came to this town.

Mr. and Mrs. Giles Seeley entertained company last week. Some of the guests were A. T. Seward, Mrs. Chas. Vansickle and daughter, Mabel, of Sayre, Mrs. Fred Seward and two children of Wyalusing.

Mrs. M. V. Lampman entertained the W. R. C. last Tuesday, it being her birthday.

The soical last Thursday evening netted $20, and the play, "Our Folks," Saturday evening netted $40.

A union prayer meeting for rain, was held in the Congregational church on Sunday evening.

A picnic was held on Dr. Moody's large lawn Friday afternoon. The picnic was in honor of Mrs. George Peck and Mrs. Kalista Hill of Athens, who were visiting here. Mr. Peck drove out Sunday for the day and the ladies returned with him.

Mr. and Mrs. B. K. Gustin are visiting their son, Burt, and family in Ohio.

Judge Henry and family of Cleveland, are guests at L. T. Adams'.

The junior school picnic will be held Aug. 14, and the older members of the school will picnic on Aug. 20.

Miss Jennie Brigham of Buffalo, is visiting her cousin, Miss Laura Riggs.

RIDGEBURY.

Mr. and Mrs. Merton Halstead have been spending a few days in Addison.

Mrs. Della Thomas is home again after spending a couple of weeks in Waverly.

A party composed of John Owen and family, Frank Owen and family and Robert Burnham, and Miss Blanche MacClosky spent Sunday in Watkins Glen.

The Wells correspondent is somewhat in error in regard to Gabe Dean. He is not in an asylum, but at Owego in a sanitarium for treatment of nervous diseases, and is some better.

Mrs. Calvin Vangorder and daughter, Doris, who have spent the past week with relatives here left for their home in Waverly on Sunday.

James Ayres of Lambs Creek, Pa., visited his nephew, John Ayres and family over Sunday.

Edna Haskins is spending a few days in Athens.

William Wright and granddaughter, Ethel Ayres, spent part of last week in Owego.

Oscar Larrison and wife of Caton, have been visiting his brother, D. H. Larrison.

J. A. Dickerson has completed his contract for pile driving for the trolley company.

Mrs. Jasen Stevens and daughter, Blanche, of Rochester, are being entertained at E. B. Sydney's.

MEADOW BROOK.

Mrs. Burt Brown of Waverly, is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Wilcox.

Allison Brundage has been working for George Murray at Springfield the past week.

Norman Hosley of Waverly, has returned home after spending some time at the home of Charles Grace.

Lyman Gleason of Jollytown, spent last Sunday with Lloyd Grace.

Mrs. Ed Robinson moved her household goods back home last week.

John Fletcher lost a valuable bulldog last week.

Mrs. E. C. Grace and Mrs. John Fletcher each have a new upright piano.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Lain of Wellsburg, N. Y., visited last Sunday at the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo Bennett. Mrs. Lain remained for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. James Darrow of Fairview visited last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Fletcher.

FRANKLINDALE.

William Wagner of Elmira, was in town one day last week.

Henry Brown and sister, Anna, visited friends at Granville Sunday.

Olie Robinson and Miss Daisy Dunn spent Sunday at Mountain Lake.

Mrs. Alice Wolfe of Sayre, is visiting friends in this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Willey of Towanda, visited friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt Brown and children of Powell, visited at Humphrey Brown's last Thursday and Friday.

E. L. Johnson is building a 10x30 foot silo.

Royal Gilbert, who accidentally shot himself while handling a pistol last week, is improving. The bullet which is lodged in his hip will not be removed unless it becomes necessary.

The Secret of Long Life.

A French scientist has discovered one secret of long life. His method deals with the blood. But long ago millions of Americans had proved Electric Bitters prolongs life and makes it worth living. It purifies, enriches and vitalizes the blood, rebuilds wasted nerve cells, imparts life and tone to the entire system. Its a godsend to weak, sick and debilated people. "Kidney trouble had blighted my life for months," writes W. M. Sherman, of Cushing, Me., "but Electric Bitters cured me entirely." Only 50c. at Turner's Drug Store.

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TERRYTOWN.

Mrs. Leonard Green of New Jersey, visited Mrs. J. E. Dodge and Mrs. H. F. Terry last week.

Mr. Bender went to New Albany Tuesday night to see his mother, who is very ill.

Will Layman of West Terry, spent Wednesday with his parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Terry made a trip to Hornell this week.

Rev. Mr. Reemer returned from his vacation Friday evening.

Maud and Ruth Kinney of Waverly, are spending some time with their aunt, Mrs. E. H. Capwell.

Mr. and Mrs. White of Athens, visited at L. D. Bowman's a couple of days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Crandal of Towanda, spent Friday with his father, D. A. Crandal. Harpin Crandal of Tunkhannock, spent Saturday and Sunday there.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Gibbs entertained a small party of friends Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Ellsworth of Binghamton spent Saturday night at G. M. Hoffman's.

Miss Bertha Conant of Sugar Run, spent Sunday with Mable Fasset.

The teachers forthe coming year for Terry township are: Terrytown, Emma Ruff; Viall, Hill, Ethel Layman; Norway Ridge, Joanna DeWann; Wellstown, Elizabeth Vanluvanee; West Terry, Harold Corson; New Era, Bessie Proof; Spring Lake, May Taylor; Covey Hill, Nellie Mapes; Tyrrell, Mrs. Overton; Pleasant View, Ella Rouse.

HERRICKVILLE.

The Ladies' Dime Circle held their regular meeting last Thursday with Mrs. L. M. White. The members were nearly all present and two new members joined the circle, Mrs. Burt Mann and Mrs. Frank Struppler. The following officers were chosen for the ensuing year: Mrs. L. M. White, president; Mrs. B. N. Lent, vice president; Mrs. Guy Baker, secretary; Mrs. M. A. Overpeck, treasurer. The next meeting will be held at the parsonage at Camptown in September. The date will be given later.

Miss Alpha Wells, who has been spending some time with friends and relatives in Susquehanna county, returned to her position in the hospital training school in New York, the first of the month.

G. L. Overpeck and wife attended the Gustin reunion at Ulster on Thursday last.

Miss Florence Mitten, who has been helping Mrs. M. Hollis of Wysox, who is in poor health, is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Mitten.

Mis Nila and Alpha Wells were visiting Mrs. M. A. Overpeck on Friday.

F. W. Reinhart and wife went to Wilkes-Barre on the excursion on Sunday.

A. P. Coleman spent last week in Susquehanna county.

Everything is moving off at the creamery again, under the management of Mr. Gray of Towanda. Three tons of cheese were shipped last Friday.

WINDFALL.

Mrs. Emma Sayre of Illinois, is visiting her brother, Thomas Webster, in this place.

Miss Ruth Warren has been visiting at Daniel Innes' at Canton.

Miss Edith Webb is working near Troy.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kittle visited relatives at Estella last week.

Miss Lola and Arthur Shoemaker visited at Canton over Sunday.

Miss Ruth Haflet of Williamsport, has been visiting relatives here.

Will Fenton is in Elmira.

Mrs. Matt Shoemaker and daughter visited here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Allen Shoemaker of North Orwell, attended the Shoemaker reunion.

John Dart and John Loomis were in Elmira last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shoemaker made a business trip to Shunk last week.

Mrs. Susan McMurray has been visiting at Williamsport.

William Haflet of Elmira, was called here last week by the illness of his brother.

Emery and Leon VanHorn of Athens, formerly of this place, are very sick with typhoid fever.

Mr. and Mrs. Josiah Cranmer are visiting here.

MOUNTAIN LAKE.

Mrs. George Allen has been very ill, but is now improving slightly.

Mrs. Jerome Strope of Canton, and Mrs. Walter Melville of Luthers Mills, spent Friday at G. L. Allen's.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Sawtelle of Athens, spent Sunday at J. W. Nichols'.

Miss Mae Lampman is home to stay until the beginning of the school term at Laquin, where she will teach the coming winter.

Mrs. S. M. White of Evergreen, was a guest at D. P. Haight's on Sunday.

George Selleck has so far recovered from his illness as to be able to attend the Selleck reunion at the lake on Thursday.

Auditor's Notice.

Estate of Peter S. Beardslee, late of the Township of Wells, deceased. The undersigned, an Auditor appointed by the Orphan's Court of Bradford County to dispose of the exceptions filed to the final accounts of Sarah Boughton, executrix and E. E. Everett, executor of the last will and testament of Peter S. Beardslee, deceased, will attend to the duties of his appointment at his office in Troy Borough, Pa., on Thursday the 19th day of August A. D. 1909, at nine o'clock in the fore-noon. All persons are required to make their claims before said auditor or be debarred from coming in upon the fund in the hands of said executors.

H. K. MITCHELL,
Troy, Pa., July 19th 1909. 4t Auditor.

LEONA.

Mrs. David Brooks returned to Saco on Sunday after several days visit with her daughter, Mrs. Lert Ballard.

Fred Prushan of New York city, is spending some time with friends in this place and Springfield.

Mrs. Sallie Harris of Smithfield visited her brother, W. A. Brown the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Card and three children from Sylvania spent Sunday at Frank Buck's.

Mrs. W. A. Stackhouse and daughter Helen are visiting her parents at Millerton, N. Y.

Mrs. G. S. Ballard, Mrs. Gussie Doane Ballard and two children from Big Pond, Mrs. W. A. Stackhouse and daughter, Helen, Mrs. Mary Ballard, Mrs. Etta Guthrie, Mrs. David Brooks, Miss Mable Rockwell, Chauffeured by Lewis' enterprising creamery young man, Burt Wright, attended an ice cream social at East Troy, on Saturday evening last.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Kenyon and twin daughters spent Sunday on Mt. Pisgah.

H. M. Griffith and family spent Sunday with Sam Harkness' people at Harkness.

APPLICATION FOR CHARTER

Notice is hereby given that application will be made by George C. Patton, Mial E. Lilley and U. M. Fell to the Governor of Pennsylvania on the 20th day of August, 1909, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, in pursuance of the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for a Charter for an intended corporation to be called the TOWANDA WATER COMPANY. The said Corporation is formed for the purpose of the supply, storage or transportation of water and water power for commercial and manufacturing purposes in the Township of Towanda, in the County of Bradford and State of Pennsylvania, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges conferred by the laws of this Commonwealth upon Companies formed for such purposes.

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THOMAS W. BARLOW,
LILLEY & WILSON,
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Had an Outing.

Six inmates of the county house at Burlington disappeared the other day, and just as a searching party was about to start out to look for them, they returned. They had taken baskets of lunch, and the getaway was nothing more or less than a little outing.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK of Towanda, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business June 23, 1909:

RESOURCES.	
Loans and Discounts	$ 764,406.94
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	589.24
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	125,000.00
U. S. Bonds on hand	250.00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	5,000.00
Bonds, Securities, etc	193,205.22
Banking house, Furniture nad Fixtures	52,000.00
Other Real Estate owned	8,050.00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	18,770.67
Due from State and Private Banks and Bankers, Trust Companies, and Savings Banks	6,481.22
Due from approved Reserve Agents	175,330.69
Checks and other Cash Items	5,288.59
Notes of other National Banks	4,975.00
Fractional Paper Currency, Nickels, and Cents	112.47
Lawful Money reserve in Banks, viz:	
Specie $30,890.50	
Legal-tender notes $31,000.00	
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)	6,250.00
Total	$1,427,600.54
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	$ 125,000.00
Surplus fund	100,000.00
Undivided Profits, less Expenses and Taxes paid	27,571.35
National Bank Notes outstanding	125,000.000
Due to other National Banks	3,165.74
Dividends unpaid	15.00
Individual Deposits subject to check	823,506.98
Demand Certificates of Deposit	717,473.12
Certified Checks	764.35
Cashier's Checks outstanding	5,104.00
Total	$1,427,600.54

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA,
COUNTY OF BRADFORD, ss:

I, U. M. Fell, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

U. M. FELL, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of June, 1909.

H. P. NEWELL, Notary Public.

Correct—*Attest*:
WM. LITTLE,
F. H. HAGERMAN,
E. F. KIZER,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK at Towanda, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, June 23rd, 1909:

RESOURCES.	
Loans and Discounts	$ 609,962.87
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	168.65
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	150,000.00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	5,000.00
Bonds, Securities, etc	321,639.13
Banking house, Furniture, and Fixtures	30,000.00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	5,050.79
Due from State and Private Banks and Bankers, Trust Companies, and Savings Banks	1,524.56
Due from approved Reserve Agents	102,128.46
Checks and other Cash Items	2,393.37
Notes of other National Banks	2,365.00
Fractional Paper Currency, Nickels, and Cents	418.58
Lawful Money reserve in Banks viz:	
Specie $33,468.45	
Legal-tender notes $19,130.00	52,593.45
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)	7,500.00
Total	$1,290,744.78
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	$ 150,000.00
Surplus fund	55,000.00
Undivided Profits, less Expenses and Taxes paid	19,147.51
National Bank Notes outstanding	150,000.00
Due to other National Banks	4,153.49
Due to State and Private Banks and Bankers	5.00
Dividends unpaid	12.00
Individual Deposits subject to check	271,398.71
Demand Certificates of Deposit	640,457.44
Certified Check	223.72
Cashier's Checks outstanding	346.91
Total	$1,290,744.78

STATE OF PENNSYLVANNIA, ss:
COUNTY OF BRADFORD, ss:

I, J. K. Newell, Cashier o the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. K. NEWELL, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of June, 1909.

L. M. OSBORNE, Notary Public.

Correct—*Attest*:
HENRY STREETER,
W. L. BARCLAY,
R. A. HORTON,
Directors.

Executor's Notice.

Letters testamentary on the estate of John W. Howie deceased late of Ulster Township, Pa., having been granted the undersigned, notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against it must present them duly authenticated for settlement.

S. A. VAN GORDER, Executor
July 7, 1909. s12aug*

PARTNERSHIP NOTICE—We, the subscribers, have this day entered into a limited partnership, agreeably to the provisions of the Act of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, passed the first day of March, 1836, entitled "An Act relative to limited partnerships," and hereby certify that the name of the firm under which the said partnership is to be conducted is the Northrop Novelty Company; that the general nature of the business to be transacted is the manufacture and sale of wooden toys and novelties, and the same will be transacted at Monroeton, Pa.; that the names of the general partners of the said firm are Charles Northrop and S. M. Hottenstein, both of Monroeton, Pa.

S. M. HOTTENSTEIN,
CHARLES NORTHRUP.
Monroeton, Pa., July 9, 1909.-6t

Attorneys.

RODNEY A. MERCUR Attorney-at-law, and Solicitor of Patents. Particular attention paid to business in the Orphans Court, and to the settlement of estates. Office in new Masonic Block, corner Main and Pine streets, Towanda, Pa.

WILLIAM MAXWELL, Attorney-at-law, Towanda, Pa. Special attention given to Fire and Life Insurance litigation. Orphans' Court practice and settlement of estates. Office over Dayton's store.

Miscellaneous.

HIRAM E. BULL, County Surveyor. Engineering, Surveying and Drafting. Office in Court House.

J. T. MARSDEN, Dentist. The Best Set of Teeth. $8; Gold Fillings, $1 and $2. All other fillings, 50c and 75c.

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WORK OF THE GRIM REAPER

CHARLES L. WOODBURN SUDDENLY SUMMONED.

Well Known Wysox Farmer Dropped Dead Yesterday Morning.

Charles Lawrence Woodburn, a well known resident of Wysox township dropped dead at his home Friday morning about 5 o'clock. He had been a sufferer with heart trouble for the past five years, and that was the cause of his demise.

Mr. Woodburn had charge of the Louis Piollet dairy farm, and arose yesterday morning about 5 o'clock to do the milking. He talked and joked with the rest of the family, seeming in his usual health and spirits. As he started to bathe his face and hands, he dropped to the floor, and before his startled family realized that he was ill, mortal life had fled.

Deceased was born in Wysox 51 years and eight months ago, the son of the late Theodore Woodburn, one of the early settlers in that township.

With the exception of a few years at South Towanda, during which time he was employed in the nail works, his entire life had been spent in Wysox township.

He was a good citizen, honest and sincere, a loyal husband and kind father, and they who knew him best will miss him most. His friends were legion and they will sincerely regret his untimely demise.

Besides his wife, two children, Morgan Woodburn, a Lehigh engineer living at Sayre, and William Stephens of Rummerfield survive; also three sisters, and one brother. Mrs. Frank B. Lyke of Towanda, is a sister of the deceased.

The funeral was held Sunday afternoon at 1 o'clock at the house and at the Wysox church at 2 o'clock. The Odd Fellows Lodge of which he was a member attended the services in a body; interment in Wysox cemetery.

Lucinda E. Hoagland.

Mrs. Lucinda E. Hoagland died July 31, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. George Wilcox, at Grover, aged 67. She was born and lived most of her life in LeRoy. She was well known and highly respected. The past few years were ones of suffering but was always patient and cheerful. Mrs. Hoagland was an earnest christian worker nearly all of her life, and at the time of her death was a member of the United Evangelical church in Grover. Funeral services took place on Tuesday, Aug. 2, with prayer at her late residence and services in West LeRoy church in charge of Rev. C. C. Mizner, her pastor, and assisted by Rev. Gustin, pastor of West LeRoy church. Interment near LeRoy.

N. C. Eastabrooks.

Nathaniel C. Eastabrooks, for more than seventy years a resident of Milledgeville and vicinity, died at his home in this village on Tuesday afternoon, July 13, 1909, after an illness of only four days, having been stricken with paralysis on the afternoon of Friday, July 9th. Mr. Eastabrooks was born in Bradford county, Pennsylvania, Dec. 13, 1828, where he lived until he was ten years old. He came to Illinois in 1838, living one year in DeKalb county, then coming to Carroll county in 1839, where his home has been since that time.—The Milledgeville (Ill.) Free Press.

Funeral of Mrs. Ross.

Funeral services for the late Mrs. Jeanetta Ross were held at the Ross homestead on North Main street on Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock, and were largely attended. Rev. John S. Stewart, D. D., pastor of the Presbyterian church conducted the services. The pallbearers were: A. L. Gordon, G. W. Kilmer, W. H. Benedict and M. M. Spalding. Interment was made in Oak Hill cemetery.

Funeral of Charles L. Woodburn.

Funeral services for the late Charles L. Woodburn were held at the Wysox church on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock and were very largely attended. Rev. David Davies conducted the services, and preached an eloquent sermon, paying high tribute to the life of the deceased. The Wysox lodge of Odd Fellows of which the deceased was a member, had charge of the services at the grave. Interment was made in the Wysox cemetery. The pallbearers were: Joseph Beeman, Joseph Campbell, George Thetga, Fred Coolbaugh, Samuel Chamberlain and John Hines.

Albert Savage.

Albert Savage died at his home in Wyalusing on Thursday, Aug: 5, after an illness of several months. He was 60 years of age and is survived by his wife and several brothers. He was a blacksmith and had worked at his trade until several months ago, when he was compelled to stop. The funeral was held Saturday afternoon, conducted by Rev. E. E. Barker of the M. E. church.

Clarence Andrews.

The funeral was held at Granville Centre Thursday, of Clarence Andrews who expired in Washington from typhoid fever. Mr. Andrews at one time lived in Troy and leaves many friends in Bradford county as elsewhere. He was a carpenter employed on government work.

Canfield I. Lacey.

Canfield J. Lacey died Monday morning at 11 o'clock at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Juniata H. Brown, in Athens. He had been suffering from Bright's disease, and he was unconscious during the forty eight hours preceeding his death. He was born August 28, 1828, at Laceyville, Pa., being a grandson of the man in whose honor the place was named. He resided there nearly all his life and when the Lehigh Valley railroad was built, he was actively identified with its construction being awarded the contract for several bridges. In 1892 he was elected associate judge for Wyoming county and served in that capacity for five years. December 18, 1854, he married Miss Elizabeth Norton, who died February 13, 1901, after which he came to Athens and since that time had made his home with his daughter. He was a member of Temple Commandery, F. A. M., of Tunkhannock, and the Odd Fellows, and of the Methodist church of Athens. He is survived by two sons and two daughters, George H. and William N., of Sayre, and Mrs. Brown and Miss Sarah Lacey of Athens. The funeral services was held Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Brown at 7:30 o'clock, the service being in chrage of Rev. M. V. Williams. The body was taken to Laceyville for interment Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Ella Vannest.

Mrs. Ella Vannest of Rummerfield, died Wednesday evening of last week at 10 o'clock, at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Ella Pitcher at East Athens. She had been visiting in Sayre and Athens, and had only been at the home of Mrs. Pitcher but a short time About 5 o'clock in the afternoon she complained of feeling ill while walking about the house, and a few minutes later lapsed into unconsciousness from which she never rallied despite all that medical skill could do. She was fifty-five years of age, was born in this county where she had always resided. Of her immediate family, two sons, Milton, at the Rummerfield home and Raymond of Ludlowville and one daughter, Mrs. Harry Taylor of Sayre survive her.

Mrs. V. M. Wilson.

Mrs. Volney M. Wilson, of Alba, died at the residence of her daughter Mrs. E. E. VanDyne at Troy, on Sunday, August 8, aged eighty years. Mrs Wilson is survived by her husband, Volney M. Wilson, the veteran justice of the peace of Alba Boro, where he has served the community in that capacity for more than half a century She also leaves besides Mrs. VanDyne, three sons, one being Volney M. Wilson, Jr., a broker of note and influence in Providence, R. I. A wide circle of relatives and friends mourn the demise of this estimable woman whose life has been one of usefulness and kindness.

Mrs. Sarah A. Barnes.

Mrs. Sarah A. Barnes died at the family home, in Elmira, at 1:30 o'clock Tuesday morning, after several years of patient suffering. In her death the community has lost a true Christian friend. She is survived by her husband. A. A. Barnes; three brothers, Robert Turner of Victorville, Cal., John D. Turner of Canton, and Fred Turner of Williamsport. A prayer service was held at the house Wednesday at 8:30 a.m. and the funeral was held in the Presbyterian Church at Canton, at 11 a. m. Burial was made in the Canton cemetery.

Eugenia McMahon.

Eugenia McMahon, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Horton, died yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Horton home on Locust avenue, aged three years and three months. She had been ill for several months. She was a bright little girl, greatly beloved by all who know her, and the idol of Mr. and Mrs. Horton, with whom she has lived for the past two years. The funeral will be held at the Horton home Thursday morning at 10 o'clock, and interment will be made in the Hornbrook cemetery.

Joseph Miller.

Joseph Miller died at his home in Wyalusing on Friday evening, Aug. 6, after a long illness. He was about 65 years of age and served in the Civil War being a member of the 141st Regiment, Co. A. He is survived by his wife and several sons. The funeral will take place Monday at 1 o'clock at Sciota, his former home.

Mrs. Jeanetta A. Ross.

Mrs. Jeanetta A. Ross, widow of the late George L. Ross, died Friday morning. Mrs. Ross was 64 years of age and had been a lifelong resident of Towanda. She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. W. T. Bacon of Towanda, and Mrs. J. R. Palmer of Waverly. Funeral services were held at the old homestead, 212 North Main street, at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

Gertrude Bedell.

Mrs. Gertrude Bedell of Monroeton, died at the Packer hospital Wednesday, Aug. 4. She was forty three years of age and an autopsy showed that she was suffering from cancer, but had been brought to the hospital when her condition was beyond relief. The body was shipped to Monroeton where the funeral was held.

W. H. Snedeker.

W. H. Snedeker, Sr., of Snedekerville, this county, died while visiting friends near Skaneateles early Sunday morning, Aug. 8, at the advanced age of over ninety-two years. He was born in Poughkeepsie, N. Y., in June, 1815, and lived there until he was a young man, learning the carpenter's trade before he was twenty-one years old. Subsequently he removed to Canastota, N. Y., and carried on an extensive lumbering business. About 1865 he came to Bradford County and settled at what is now Snedekerville near Troy an important station on the Northern Central Railway. For many years he did a large and prosperous lumber business and became the owner of over 700 acres of valuable land. At one time he carried on an extensive dairy business, keeping more than a hundred cows. About ten years ago he retired from active business, but he has always taken an active interest in affairs. His wife died about nine years ago and the surviving members of his household are: Mrs. Carrie Ryan, a daughter of Syracuse, N. Y.; Mrs. Cora Mitchell, wife of C. W. Mitchell, of Troy, Augustus T. Snedeker and William H. Snedeker, Jr., two sons, of Snederkerville, Pa.

Nicholas Potter.

Nicholas Potter, an aged and life long resident of Troy, died Sunday, Aug. 8, at the home of his daughter Mrs. Calkins, in East Troy, aged ninety-four years. Mr. Potter was a mechanic and inventor of note for many years. In the early days of Troy, he was engaged with S. W. Payne in the manufacture of stoves, plows and farming implements and continued for many years with the Enterprise Manufacturing company. He retired from active work about fifteen years ago. He invented a valuable animal power device on which dogs, sheep and cattle were used for churning very extensively, and for years his inventions were a staple manufactured by the Enterprise Monufacturing company of Troy. He also made many improvements in plows and other farming implements which have added much to the progress and prosperity of the country.

Mrs. George A. Steele.

Died at Williamsport hospital, Mrs. Dora Eddy Steele, wife of George A. Steele on July 30 at the Williamsport hospital of acute Bright disease aged 47. The funeral services were held from her late home in Burlington on Aug 2, with interment at the Christian church cemetery at Franklindale. She was born at Mt. Lake June 4, 1862 She was twice, married her first husband, Varney Eddy dying 16 years ago she was a member of the M. E. church at Fairview. She was of a kind and loving disposition, and her friends were legion. She is survived by her aged husband, one daughter, Miss Lillie Eddy and five brothers, Wesley and Morris Eddy of Laquin, George of West Franklin Frank of Texas, Will of Kansas, and two sisters, Mrs. Clarisa O'Brian, Mrs. Mary Gehring of Illinois.

Mrs. Charles L. Griffis.

In East Boston, July 28, Catherine, beloved wife of Charles L. Griffis. Funeral from the residence of her sister, Mrs. D. T. McCallion, 241 Webster street, Saturday, July 31, at 8:15 a. m. Requiem mass at Church of the Assumption at 9 o'clock. Bradford County, Pa., papers please copy.—Boston Globe.

Death of a Baby.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin T. Lynch of Ward avenue, mourn the loss of their baby son, Joseph Eugene Lynch, who died Tuesday morning from acute indigestion, aged one month. The funeral will be held on Thursday.

Funeral of Alfred Cole.

Funeral services for the late Alfred Cole, who died at East Towanda on Monday as a result of taking laudanum, will be held Friday at his former home at Terrytown.

Funeral of Mrs. Bedell.

The funeral of Mrs. Nelson Bedell, who died at the Sayre hospital of cancer of the liver, was held at the home at Powell on August 7, at 12 o'clock, noon.

DOTY HILL.

The Misses Grace and Mattie Coleman spent Saturday night and Sunday with their aunt, Mrs. Lottie Packard, of Waverly.

Mrs. D. A. Thompson of Wellsburg, and Mrs. Will Easton were the guests of Mrs. Willmot Gordon of Gillett on Thursday.

George Pautz had 15 hens killed last week by their eating salt.

Mrs. A. B. Merriam and Mrs. Elmer Andrus spent Saturday night and Sunday with friends at Troy.

Will Smith spent Sunday at his home at Big Flats.

Dwight Parsons and daughter, Mrs. Kimbley, have returned to their home in Ansonia, Conn. Mrs. Parsons will remain at the home of her mother, Mrs. A. J. Dewey for a few weeks.

T. G. Smith of Roseville, was the guest of S. F. Aber and family over Sunday.

The many friends of Mrs. O. T. Comfort will be glad to hear she is able to ride out after her long illness.

SOUTH TOWANDA.

Mrs. N. A. Wells and Miss Edith Wells of Antrim are visiting relatives here.

Mrs. A. Maynard is better.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Spencer of Elmira, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Sarah Smith.

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REUNIONS.

Stevens.

The Stevens Reunion will be held Friday, August 13 in Jabez H. Stevens Grove, Standing Stone.

Streeby.

The fourth annual reunion of the Streeby family will be held on Thursday, Aug. 19, at Streevy grove, New Albany.

Regimental Reunion.

The annual reunion of the 50th Regiment, Pennsylvania Volunteers, will be held in Spring City, Pa., September 4, 1909.

Rockwell.

The Rockwell reunion will be held at Alparon park, Friday, Aug. 27. W. G. Rockwell, president; Ira A. Parsons, secretary.

Allen—Jones.

The annual meeting of the Allen—Jones reunion will be held in New Albany park, Wednesday, Aug. 18. J. H. Allen, secretary.

Bennett-Granger.

The annual reunion of the Bennett and Granger families will be held on Thursday, Aug. 26, at the William Kennedy grove at North Towanda. L. G. Kennedy.

Ross.

The annual reunion of the descendants of David and Phoebe Ross will meet at Pratt's grove, Burlington, Pa., Thursday, Aug. 26, 1909. Mrs. J. S. Mott, secretary.

Gregg.

The thirteenth annual reunion of the Gregg family will be held at Mt. Lake, Aug. 20. All relatives and friends are requested to be present. Bessie Brown, secretary.

Saxton.

The seventeenth annual reunion of the descendants of Benjamin and Susannah Corbin Saxton will be held at Granville Center opera house on Thursday, Aug. 19. Mrs. Charles E. Taylor, secretary.

Allis.

The thirteenth annual reunion of the Allis family will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Allis of Myersburg, Pa. on the regular annual meeting day Thursday, Aug. 26. All relatives are requested to attend. N L. Allis, secretary.

Gustin.

The eighth annual reunion of the Gustin family will be held at Rorick's Glen, Elmira, N. Y. Wednesday Aug 18, 1909. All relatives and friends are invited to attend. Mrs. John C. Ham, secretary.

Smith.

The second annual reunion of the Smith family will be held at Keystone Park on Saturday, Aug. 28, 1909. A cordial invitation is extended to all relatives and friends. D. O. Dickerson, secretary.

Swain and Perry.

The second annual reunion of the descendants of Joseph and Betsy Perry and Isaac and Sophia Swain will be held at Pratt's Grove, Franklin, Pa., Aug. 27, 1909. The relatives and friends are cordially invited. Charley Horton, president; Burley Swain, secretary.

May.

The 29th annual reunion of the descendants of Anthony and Huldah May will be held at the home of Mr and Mrs. Guy May at Ridgebury, Pa., on Friday, Aug. 27. All relatives are requested to make a special effort to attend. D. J. May, president; Lizzie M. Stirton, secretary.

Lantz.

The annual reunion of the Lantz family will be held Thursday, Aug. 19th on the O. W. Faucett farm or Wm. Lantz's homestead, at Franklindale. All members of the family are requested to be present. There will be conveyances to meet the trains at Powell. By order of Secretary.

Halstead.

The sixth annual reunion of the Halstead family will be held at Eldridge Park, Elmira, N. Y. on Saturday Sept 4. All relatives are earnestly requested to attend. Let all bring full baskets and dishe enough for their family. Silverware will be furnished. George Halstead, president; Mrs. T. C. Squires, secretary.

Clarke.

The twelfth reunion of the Clarke family was held at Earl Clarke Robey's Aug. 4, 1909. After dinner the meeting was called to order by the president, the minutes of last meeting were read by the secretary and a short program rendered. It was decided to meet the first Wednesday in August, 1910, with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ayres at Windfall.

Bennett.

The annual Bennett reunion was held Aug. 5, 1909 at Towanda fair grounds and a very enjoyable time was had there being a good attendance. Rev. W. P. Miller of North Towanda made an eloquent address after which they all joined in singing "Nearer My God to Thee." Following are the officers for the ensuing year: John T. Bennett, president; Mrs. John T. Bennett, secretary; Darius Bennett, vice-president; Mrs. Belle Vargarson, treasurer. The next reunion will be held Aug. 5, 1910 at Towanda fair ground.

Shoemaker.

The 14th annual reunion of the Shoemaker family was held this year at the home of Everett Warren at Alba, on Saturday, Aug. 7. About 150 were present and a very enjoyable time was had. The large tent was pitched on the church lawn which is near Mr. Warren's home, and tables and seats were placed under the tent to accommodate all who came. After an elaborate dinner, a business meeting was called and it was decided to hold the next reunion at the home of O. S. Roby, Leolyn, Pa., on the first Saturday in August, 1910. The following officers were elected for the coming year: President, Charles Shoemaker; vice president, F. E. Shoemaker; secretary, M. T. Haxton; treasurer, O. B. Hawthorne.

Havens and Partridge.

The second reunion of the Havens and Partridge families was held at Keystone Park at Sayre on Aug. 5. By the unanimous wish it was voted to make the reunion an annual affair and the following officers were elected: Jabers Havens of Milan, president; Lemuel Havens of Milan, 1st vice-president; Frances Park, North Orwell, 2nd vice-president; Alice Gillan of Waverly; secretary. Fifty members were present and a very enjoyable day was spent by all.

Selleck.

About 65 descendants of Riley and Juditle Selleck met at Mt. Lake on Aug. 5, to celebrate their fourth annual reunion. The following officers were elected for the coming year: President, Edward Selleck; secretary, Mrs. George Selleck; treasurer, Frank Darrow. After singing the hymn "God be With You Till We Meet Again" the meeting adjourned, to meet in August 1910 at Mt. Lake.

Chaffee-Warner.

Relatives and friends of the descendants of Comfort and Docia Sexton Chaffee, also of Hanmon, Elezier and Samuel Warner, are requested to meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Loren Clark on Taylor Hill on Saturday, Aug 21, for their twelfth annual reunion in the form of a basket picnic. S. A Chaffee, president; Mrs. N. A. Chaffee secretary.

Beach.

As it is impossible to get the use of Alparon Park at Troy, on Aug. 19. it has been decided to go to Charles C. Horton's grove at East Troy instead of the fair grounds. Remember the date, Aug. 19, 1909. By order of the president, J. M. Beach. Mrs. E. B Dutcher, assistant secretary.

Lenox Head.

The sixteenth annual reunion of the Lenox Head descendants will be held at Keystone Park, Sayre, Pa. Wednesday, August 18, 1909. Susie Lenox, secretary.

Mott and McCraney.

The annual reunion of the Mott and McCraney families will be held at the Leroy Holcomb grove in LeRoy on Saturday, Sept. 4, 1909. Arrangements same as at former meetings; all relatives and friends are cordially invited to attend. Election of officers will be held at 2 p. m. H. K. Mott, president

Bowen.

The descendants of Noah C. and Sabrina Taylor Bowen will hold their sixth annual reunion at G. H. Bowen's on Tuesday, August 24. Basket lunch Friends invited. Mrs. N. A. Chaffee secretary.

Sturdevant.

The seventh annual reunion of the Sturdevants will be held at the M. E. church at Skinners Eddy August 19, 1909. All Sturdevants are requested to be present. W. E. Sturdevant, Laceyville, Pa.

Parke.

The 12th annual reunion of the Parke family will be held Aug. 21 at S. L. Johnson's at East Troy. Mrs. Edward Rockwell, secretary.

ELWELL.

Misses Jennie and Lizzie Stoddard of Spring Hill, visited their parents Saturday and Sunday; they were accompanied by Miss Ruth Tyler.

Burton Steele has returned from West Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley M. Rogers and family and Mrs. L. M. Bahr and two daughters attended the Sunday school picnic at Norconk on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Scouten and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. William Mace at Hollenback.

Mrs. John Mace and daughter, Virgie of New York state, are visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Charles L. Griffis of East Boston, departed this life at her home July 28, of consumption. Mr. Griffis was a former resident of this place and was the son of Warren R. Griffis, deceased.

HIGHLAND.

Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Jennings and daughter Leah spent Sunday at Franklindale.

Raymond Robinson is spending a few days with relatives at Sayre.

Mrs. Susan Hollenbeck of Towanda, is spending this week with her son, W. L. Hollenbeck.

Miss Bessie Michaels of Towanda was a guest of Miss Mary Walburn last week.

MONROETON.

Mrs. Almond Chilson and Mrs. Wallace Chilson of Monroeton, were visiting their sister, Mrs. John Hakes at Evergreen last week. They also attended the Drama "Dot the Miners Daughter," at the new church on North street which was largely attended.

MARRIAGE RECORD

Tyrrell—Kuykendall.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Porter Kuykendall at Windham on August 4, when their daughter, Mabel Leora, was united in marriage to Leslie C. Tyrrell of North Orwell. At 8 o'clock, p. m., to the strains of Lohengrin's wedding march the bridal party entered the parlor and took their place beneath a canopy of evergreens thickly studded with sweet peas. There they were met by the Rev. J. A. Swingle, who using the ring ceremony, made them man and wife. Only a few friends besides the immediate families were present. The bride was very simply attired in white and carried a shower bouquet of bridal roses and sweet peas with smilax and asparagus plumes interwoven. The whole house was beautifully decorated with sweet peas, similax and ferns. An early guest remarked it was like a glimpse into fairyland. After congratulations, the company retired to the large dining hall where a very fine supper was served. Mr. and Mrs. Tyrrell left that evening in an automobile for Owego. From there they will go to Lake Cayuta. After Sept. 1 they will be at home at Lockwood, N. Y., where Mr. Tyrrell will enter the mercantile business. The young couple are people of sterling character and have many warm friends who wish them a long life, happiness and success. The young people were the recipients of many useful and beautiful gifts.

Fairchild—Musselman.

Lee Fairchild of Towanda, and Miss Edith Musselman of Overton, were united in marriage at Easton on Thursday, August 5. The bride is the daughter of George Musselman, one of Overton's prominent citizens and is a young lady of many accomplishments. She is quite well known in Towanda, where she attended and graduated from the Towanda Business college. The groom is a son of A. C. Fairchild, one of Towanda's well known citizens. The young people have a host of friends to extend congratulations and best wishes.

Cook—Zeller.

Thomas J. Cook and Miss Bessie Zeller were married yesterday afternoon by Rev. Will A. Kelley, pastor of the Athens Universalist church at his residence in Athens, in the presence of a few friends. Mr. Cook is a linotype operator of the Athens Gazette, and Mrs. Cook is a daughter of B. F. Zeller of Sheshequin. Both are well known and highly esteemed young people and have the best wishes of a large number of friends for a happy and prosperous wedded life.

Packard—Snell.

The wedding of Miss Gertrude Snell and Carl L. Packard took place on Thursday evening, Aug. 5, at 8 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Snell at East Athens. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Hess F. Wilbur, pastor of the West Sayre church, and the wedding march was played by Miss Clara Brainard, a niece of the bride. Mr. and Mrs. Packard left immediately on a trip to Philadelphia, Atlantic City and Baltimore.

Stevens—Maynard.

At his residence 208 Main steret, Towanda, by Rev. W. S. H. Heermans J. K. Stevens and Mrs. H. Marrion Maynard, both of Cortland, N. Y., were united in marriage.

MONROETON

The M. E. Sunday school will hold its annual picnic in the park at New Albany on Thursday.

S. S. Merithew was doing business in New Albany on Monday.

Oliver Wiggins and wife of Binghamton, have been spending several days with relatives here.

Miss Louise Woodhouse of Garwood, N. J., is the guest of Mrs. J. C. Campbell.

Mrs. Reidy of Blossburg, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. E. Wilcox.

D. E. Mingos is spending a few days at Ellenton and Wheelerville.

Burr Tracy of Washington, spent Sunday with Monroeton friends.

Henry Hovey, wife and daughter of Dushore, spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mrs. Benj. Borden of Arnot, and Mrs. Estella Kelley of LeRoy, spent several days last week at the home of their father, Moses Walter.

Miss Reta Cornell of Elmira, is the guest of Mrs. W. D. Minard.

Mrs. Edward Paiste and son, Robert, are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Lyon.

The annual reunion of the Walborn family will be held at the home of Peter Walborn on Thursday, Aug. 19.

LACEYVILLE.

Mrs. George J. Johnson visited her mother at Frenchtown last week.

Prof. and Mrs. W. I. Zechman visited her uncle, Edward Blakslee, last week. Mr. and Mrs. Zechman were teachers in the school here six years ago. The professor has a fine position in a high school in Clinton county.

Penderson Rainey, an old Laceyville boy, was in town for the day on Friday.

Mrs. Lizzie Hardy died at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Warner on Friday. Funeral services were held at the home on Sunday afternoon by her pastor, Rev. R. B. Dunmire and burial was in Lacey street cemetery. Mrs. Hardy was 45 years of age and had been an invalid during a good share of her life. Besides her father and mother, three sisters and a brother, she leaves a daughter about 17 years of age.

Miss Ruth Lacey of Sayre, is visiting at her uncle's, G. M. Schermerhorn's.

The Laceyville spring water is still holding out for domestic use, but it would be well for water takers to look after leaky faucets and pipes to prolong the use of the spring water.

Canfield I. Lacey died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. James Brown, at Athens on Monday. Funeral services were held at her home Tuesday evening and the body brought to Laceyville on the early train Wednesday and taken to Lacey street cemetery for burial. Mr. Lacey was 81 years of age and had been a life long resident of this place until a couple of years ago, when his wife died and he went to Athens to live with his daughter. He was for many years one of the prominent business men of the town, filling the office of justice of the peace and other township offices and one term as associate judge. He leaves two sons, William Norton and George H. of Sayre, and two daughters, Mrs. June Brown and Miss Sara of Athens.

KENYON HILL.

Mrs. Ada Terry and daughter, Hope, and son Ralph, left Saturday to spend a week at Niles Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Kenyon and daughters, T. L. Kenyon and Miss Theressa Rady spent Sunday on Mt. Pisgah.

Mrs. Fred Mattock of Leona, spent Thursday with Mrs. George Bruster.

Mr. and Mrs. Ayres of East Troy, visited their daughter, Mrs. James Vaughn, Sunday.

Austin Younge of Elmira, is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Younge.

James Vaughn had the misfortune to lose a horse last week.

Miss Lois Meeker of Canton, is visiting at Mrs. John Spalding's.

COLUMBIA CROSS ROADS.

R. M. Judson and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Strong, Mrs. King and F. R. Strong and family picnicked at Watkins Glen Sunday with friends from Corning and Elmira.

Mrs. F. B. Wheeler and son, Leon, visited in Willard, N. Y., last week. They were accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. James Lyons and daughter of New York.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wolfe have returned from visiting in New Jersey.

R. G. Strong was in Elmira Thursday and purchased a fine new buggy.

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The Markets

The market reports in the Reporter-Journal and Republican are corrected every week

Eggs 23c
Butter 24c

General Markets.

New York, Aug. 10.

BUTTER—Firm; receipts, 22,402 packages; creamery specials, 26@27c. (official [illegible]c.); extras, 26@26½c.; thirds to firsts, 22@25½c.; dairy common to finest, [illegible]; process to special, [illegible]; imitation creamery, firsts, 21½c., imitation, 21@21½c.

CHEESE—Firm; receipts, 10,749 boxes; state, new, full cream special, 14¾@15c.; small, colored, fancy, 14½c.; large, colored, fancy, 14½c.; small, white, fancy, 14½c.; good to prime, 13½@14c.; common to fair, 11¾@13c.; skims, full to specials, 2@13c.

EGGS—Easier; receipts, 16,233 cases; state, Pennsylvania and nearby, hennery, white, 30@33c.; gathered, white, 23@30c.; hennery, brown and mixed, fancy, 28@30c.; gathered brown, fair to prime, 24@28c.; western extra firsts, 24@25c.; firsts, 22@23c.; seconds, 20@21c.

POTATOES—Easy; good to fancy, per bbl. or bag, $1.75@2.25; common, $1@1.50; sweets, yellow, per bbl., $2.50@4; yams, white, $2.25@3.50; red $2@3.

LIVE POULTRY—Firm; chickens, broilers, per lb., 18@18c.; fowls, 16@16½c.; old roosters, 10c.; turkeys, 13c.; ducks, 12@14c.; geese, 10@11c.

DRESSED POULTRY—Steady; broilers, nearby, fancy, squab, per pair, 40@50c.; per lb., 20@22c.; western, dry picked, 15@17c.; scalded, 14@16c.; fowls, barrels, 16½c.; old roosters, 11½c.; spring ducks, nearby, 17@17½c.; squabs, white, per doz., $2@3.75; frozen broilers, milk fed, per lb., 15@20c.; corn fed, 14@17c.; roasting chickens, milk fed, 17@23c.; corn fed, 10@20c.; geese, No. 1, 9@10c.

HAY AND STRAW—Firmer; timothy, per hundred [illegible]; shipping, 75c.; clover, mixed, 65@85c.; clover, 60@70c.; long rye straw, 82½@90c.; oat and wheat, 40c.; small bales, 5@7½c. less.

CALVES—Live veal calves, prime to choice, per 100 lbs., $9.25@9.50; common to good, $5@9; culls, $4.50@5.50; live buttermilk calves, $3.75@4.50; country dressed veal calves, prime, per lb., 12@12½c.; common to good, 8@11½c.; buttermilk calves, 5@8c.

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MR. KIPP'S NOMINATION.

The nomination of our townsman, Hon. George W. Kipp, for state treasurer, by the Democratic state convention o nWednesday last was an event that did not cast a long shadow before. This is not strange. Nominations on the state Democratic ticket in this state are often negligible and unheralded happenings that the candidate himself does not know he is caught until after the trap is sprung. It was so in this case.

Week before last the Democratic Bradford Star, which has fought for Mr. Kipp in previous political battles, and is supposed to be in his confidence, announced with a show of authority that he would take no nomination this year, and, strange to say, gave out in last week's issue, one day after the nomination was made, that "the chances are that Mr. Kipp will not accept the nomination." Another home organ of Mr. Kipp's the old Argus, was also groping feebly in the dark, and "balled up" the situation locally by announcing last week, after the nomination was made, that Mr. Kipp's friends were reporting that he would not accept, that the candidate could see no chance of winning, and that he didn't care to spend $20,000 or $30,000 just for the fun of being a candidate. The Star of last week referred to the ticket as "the ticket as arranged by Boss Guffey," and a "one man ticket," and week before last the same newspaper volunteered the information that "some of the Republican and Democratic bosses, who would like to get rid of Hon. G. W. Kipp, have been booming him for the Democratic nomination for state treasurer. Well, the scheme won't work. Mr. Kipp will take no nomination this year, but you may hear from him in 1910."

Interesting, all this is, now that Mr. Kipp has been named and is going to run. We wonder if the twinkling Star will now insist, or even admit, that the combined bosses have "got rid of" Mr. Kipp.

Evidently Mr. Kipp did not intend to run, and the nomination has been forced upon him. But his Towanda organs should have been under better discipline, and more circumspect. They botched the job woefully, and made a sorry exhibition of themselves. Never before that we know of did a candidate enter a campaign with a lamer boost from his home organs than Mr. Kipp has received. "Lord, save us from our friends," the Democratic candidate may well say.

We can announce, on what we believe to be the best authority that Mr. Kipp will run, and let his two Towanda newspapers take notice.

Seriously, the Hon. George W. Kipp is as good a man for state treasurer as the Democrats could have named. He is a representative American business man, of marked ability, and irreproachable private life. By his own exertions he has amassed a large fortune, and he made his money honestly. He is in every way well fitted to discharge the duties pertaining to the office for which he has been named. At home he is a very popular man, and we have no doubt he will not only poll the full Democratic vote, but will receive a large complimentary ballot from Republicans, among whom he has hosts of friends. We have not the slightest doubt of his defeat, nor do we believe he doubts it himself.

The Democratic state convention at Harrisburg on Wednesday last cordially indorsed the income tax amendment to the constitution, which was proposed by the late session of congress. The Republican state convention of Nebraska indorsed it, and these are the only state conventions that have met since the amendment was proposed. One branch of the Alabama legislature has approved the amendment, but the Georgia lagislature, which is in session, has not acted upon it. The Conneticut legislature has the amendment before it, but before voting it is going to take testimony to ascertain whether or not the people of Connecticut desire it.

If you will use mignonette, the house will soon be rid of flies. If small pots of it are distributed about the house, flies will give the house a wide berth, as the odor of it is very distasteful to them.

THE PAYNE TARIFF BILL PASSED

The United States Senate on Thursday last adopted the conference report on the tariff bill by a vote of 47 for and 31 against, and on the same day President Taft signed it and it is now the law of the land. The President designates the bill as the Payne bill, in accordance with the custom of recognizing the framer of the measure in the House of Representatives.

As we have said before we believe there are many Republicians who are not satisfied with the new tariff bill, and an adequate expression of the country's views will not be had for some time yet. It may be said, in all honesty, that it would be strange if there were not dissatisfaction with the new measure, for never yet was there a tariff law that pleased everyone. Tariff legislation is intensely practical and, from the nature of the case, selfish. It affects the business of the country day by day, and almost everyone is immediately concerned. Democratic criticism is of course discounted at the start. The new law was passed by the Republican party and signed by a Republican president, and the Democrats are already howling about its defects and injustice. This is a matter of course. That is what they are Democrats for—to find fault with Republican policies and measures. And all this, too, notwithstanding the fact that Democratic congressmen and senators were among the hardest fighters for high tariff rates when such rates were wanted in their districts.

The President has given his reasons for signing the bill, and we believe his statement is the best one that has been made in favor of the new measure. There is entire frankness in it, and its words evidence a wise man and a practical mind. We give below several paragraphs from it:

"I have signed the Payne tariff bill because I believe it to be the result of a sincere effort on the part of the Republican party to make a downward revision, and to comply with the promises of the platform as they have been generally understood, and as I interpreted them in the campaign before election.

"The bill is not a perfect tariff bill, or a complete compliance with the promises made, strictly interpreted, but a fulfilment free from criticism in respect to a subject matter involving many schedules and thousands of articles could not be expected. It suffices to say that except with regard to whisky, liquors and wines, and in regard to silks and as to some high classes of cottons—all of which may be treated as luxuries and proper subjects of a revenue tariff—there have been very few increases in rates.

"There have been a great number of real decreases in rates and they constitute a sufficient amount to justify the statement that this bill is a substantial downward revision, and a reduction of excessive rates.

"This is not a free trade bill. It was not intended to be. The Republican party did not promise to make a free trade bill.

"It promised to make the rates protective but to reduce them when they exceeded the difference in cost of production abroad and here, making allowance for the greater normal profit on active investments here. I believe that while this excess has not been reduced in a number of cases, in a great majority the rates are such as are necessary to protect American industries, but are low enough, in case of abnormal increase of demand, and raising of prices, to permit the possibility of the importation of the foreign article and thus to prevent excessive prices.

"The corporation tax is a just and equitable excise measure, which it is hoped will produce a sufficient amount to prevent a deficit and which incidentally will secure valuable statistics and information concerning the many corporations of the country, and will constitute an important step that degree of publicity and regulation which the tendency in corporate enterprises in the last twenty years has shown to be necessary."

HENRY STREETER.

The sudden death of Henry Streeter, while not entirely unexpected by his friends who knew the precarious condition of his health, was nevertheless a great shock to them. The day previous he was about his usual avocations and when he retired that night there was no premonition that ere the breaking of another morning his spirit would have taken its flight.

Only those who knew Henry Streeter intimately can speak discriminatingly of his life now that he is gone. So quiet and unassuming in demeanor he was, so unostentatious and sincere in his intercourse with his fellow man, only those who in close companionship had penetrated beneath his habitual outward reserve, knew the genuineness of the man. Sensitively jealous of his honor, exact and methodical in business affairs, prompt and thorough in all transactions, his conservative, well-tried judgment was seldom at fault. A good citizen, a wise counsel or a true friend, he will be greatly missed. Peace to his ashes.

The nomination of our townsman, Hon. George W. Kipp, marks the second time that Towanda has furnished the Democratic party of Pennsylvania a candidate for state treasurer. Hon. Joseph Powell was the Democratic candidate for the office in 1883, and was defeated by William Livsey, Republican.

Don't be a knocker, be a worker. If you can't work for the betterment of your town, don't knock those who are doing what they can for its success.

GET BACK TO THE COUNTRY.

Conditions everywhere show how foolish it is for the laboring man to leave the country for the city—especially if he belongs to the class of unskilled workmen. Here is H. G. Mooney of Duluth, Minn., thus writing to the Country Gentleman:

"The impoverished condition of the farmer has been depicted in your columns, but we have heard very little about the ordinary working man in the cities. In this city, for instance, four rooms on an alley cost from $12 to $15 a month, and water and light cost at least $2. Eggs retailed last winter at 40 cents a dozen; butter at 35 to 38 cents; sirloin steak, 20 cents a pound; potatoes $1 a bushel; flour $3.25 for a 98 pound sack; and if Mr. Peer or any one else imagines that the workingman's wife and family are tasting many of the luxuries of life he is entirely mistaken. It is hard work from long before daylight until after dark, and when pay-day comes the money will scarcely go around for the absolute necessaries of life; and in cases of sickness or accident, the bill positively cannot be paid. There are mighty few laboring people in the cities who do not sooner or later get on a dead-beat list, and the physicians and hospitals can show you columns of names of poor people who are unable to pay their bills and who never will pay them.

"A man on 40 acres of land that he owns or even hires is a prince beside the man who toils with his hands in the cities, and why any man who can get a foothold on the soil should want to give it up for the life of a laborer in the city I cannot imagine. As to clerks, teamsters, street car employes and others that might be recruited from the farmers, they are making very little money and, having to dress better, are just that much poorer.

"The trend of our shifting population should be, by all means, from city to country at this time, and the time is not far off when it will be very difficult to secure land holdings, while it is comparatively easy today, and should be looked upon as an opportunity."

The other day James J. Hill, the great Western railroad king, stated that 65 per cent. of our population lives in cities, and asked how the other 36 per cent. can feed them on cheap food. The farmers cannot; because labor is scarce and high, and this prevents the tillage of more soil. Hence the ever increasing high price of food stuffs. These cannot be raised on city streets.

Mr. Hill thinks that nothing will correct this abnormal condition but "empty stomachs." When the price of things gets so high that the laboring man in the city is on the verge of starvation he will return to the land, and no sooner.

When this return comes then the farmer will raise more stuff, as he will have more help and cheaper help too. Then food stuffs will fall and the city be more comfortable. The farmer can very well stand present conditions, but the city cannot.

TEMPERANCE.

The cause of temperance in Bradford county may sleep from time to time, but it is not dead. The Women's Christian Temperance Union of the county will hold its 24th annual convention in the Towanda Methodist church on September 1 and 2, and one of the objects of the meeting will be to arouse the conscience of the voters and have them exert their influence for the election of members of the next legislature who will give Pennsylvania a local option law. And that isn't all. An occasion which is now a permanent feature and an established annual event in Eastern Bradford— the Sunday school basket picnic at North Orwell will be devoted to the temperance question this year, and a number of well known attorneys and clergymen will discuss the matter. The temperance question is one of the vital topics of the day, and the strides which restrictive legislation has made throughout the country show plainly that the people are alive to its importance. The local optionists of Pennsylvania say they will not rest until they have secured something in the way of a law giving the voters an opportunity to decide for themselves whether liquor shall be sold in their several localities.

Owego has just had an old home week that was a great success, but we imagine the occasion was a little too much for them. The Gazette says, cautiously, that it may not be judicious nor advisable to continue it annually, "but its recurrence at intervals of about five years would be a happy repetition of what will be looked upon by many as the event of their lives." It is true that old home week of the kind we have in Towanda are quite strenuous affairs, but the town and surrounding country had so good a time at the one held in June that we feel as if we could stand one considerably oftener than once in five years.

WEST FRANKLIN.

Mrs. Anna Burroughs has returned home after visiting relatives at Trout Run for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Wiggins of Binghamton, visited relatives here last week.

Mrs. Belle Kerr is visiting Mrs. Anna Burroughs.

Mr. and Mrs. George Crane and daughter Hilda of Franklindale, and Mrs. D. E. Whipple and children, Leo and Vesta of Kansas City, Mo., enjoyed a dinner at Minnie Anderson's last Sunday.

The man who makes it a point to attend church at least once each Sunday, is the man who can be depended upon to keep his word and fulfill every duty of citizenship.

IN THE FAR FAMED BERMUDAS

By Miss Hazel Ross of Burlington, One of the Members of the Towanda Printing Company's Touring Party.

The following account of the trip of the thirteen young ladies who visited the Bermuda Islands as guests of the Towanda Printing Company, they being the successful candidates in the great contest conducted by this paper some time ago, is from the pen of Miss Hazel Ross of Burlington, who represented District No. 6.

Some of the members of the party have only recently returned from New York city, where they stopped enroute home, thus the delay in giving the report of the trip:

At 10 a. m., Monday, our party, accompanied by the Towanda Printing company's representative, Mr. Doane, left the upper station in Towanda, on No. 8, followed by the good wishes of all. Sunday evening, previous to our departure we were entertained at the Ward House, where a reception was held, at which we met, not only the girls of our party, but also the members of the Printing company and the contest manager. Monday was a beautiful day and all appeared to enjoy the seven hours' ride to New York. By the time we reached the city we were all well acquainted. All seemed to have started out with the ambition to have a good time themselves and to do their best to help every one else enjoy every minute of the trip. Upon our arrival there we were taken to the St. Denis Hotel, at the corner of Broadway and Eleventh street. After a six course dinner which every one enjoyed, we were pleasantly surprised at receiving the information that seats had been secured for us at the Hippodrome. We went via the subway, which I mention particularly, as it was a great curiosity to most of us, as few of the party had ever visited the city before. Words fail to describe the beautiful and wonderful sights we saw at the "world's largest playhouse." The immense stage, beautiful scenery and music and gorgeous costumes of actors and actresses far surpassed anything we could ever imagine.

Tuesday morning we started about 8:30 for pier 47, which all reached safely, except one who, by mistake was left at St. Denis, but she arrived on the scene shortly after, escorted by a little colored boy. We were met there by one of Cook company's representatives who gave us our coupon books and other necessary papers Left the pier, on the beautiful steamer "Bermudian" at 10 a. m., after bidding goodbye to Mr. Doane, (whom we all hated to leave, as he had so nicely chaperoned the party during our stay in the city,) and other friends who had met members of the party upon their arrival there.

We had exceptionally fine weather during the entire voyage, the water being beautifully calm and the sky clear and blue. After sailing about four hours, we were out of sight of land. There were about 200 passengers on board; all bound for the "land of the lily and rose." The water being so smooth, few of the girls experienced any feeling of sea sickness the first day and all enjoyed it immensely except that it was rather too cool for comfort on deck. After reaching the warm waters of the Gulf Stream, about 2 a. m., the water was a little rougher, but the air was much warmer. The water is a beautiful blue, so much different from the green of the sea over which we had been sailing. The second day out, some of the party did not appear to be enjoying themselves quite as well, but no one was very sick. At about 5:30 Thursday morning we were on deck, watching for the first appearance of land.

At our first sight of the islands, we could distinguish the pretty white houses and the dark green foliage, outlined against the deep blue of sky and water. We anchored in the Hamilton Harbor at 8:30 a. m., where a large crowd is always assembled to watch the passengers coming and going, as the incoming and outgoing steamers furnish about the only excitement on the islands. After having our baggage inspected by custom house officials we were taken to the Kenwood Hotel, where we met the first and only disappointment during the trip, which was that the party was separated only three being entertained there, while the other twelve were sent to an equally good hotel, the American.

About the first thing we learned about the people, after we landed was their motto, which is "Do nothing today that you can put off until the day after tomorrow," which shows that they do not believe in hurrying. All seem to take life easy. Should we try to give a thorough, detailed description of the Bermuda Islands, and the things we saw, The aDily Review would have to print a special edition, but will give as briefly as possible a few facts concerning the islands.

They islands are about 24 miles in length and no more than three miles wide at the widest place. They are of coral formation and are perforated by caves and caverns that in many cases extend far under the land from the coast. The four largest are connected by bridges and causeways. The remainder, (there being about 100 in all) are quite small, some being only large enough for one house. The buildings, walls, partitions, roofs, etc., sidewalks and roads are made of the white coral or limestone rock. If a person wishes a home there, he may buy a piece of land, and take the stone to build his house out of it. The excavation thus made serves as a cellar. The rock is cut with hand-saws and is so soft that it requires the most careful handling to retain its shape, but hardens when it is exposed to the air. They cover it with a kind of cement which makes the walls and buildings almost indestructable. The bright sunlight on the white roads, buildings, etc., is very trying to the eyes, making it necessary to wear colored glasses. A house built of wood is a luxury, as nearly all of the timber for building has to be imported. The climate is delightful, the thermometer seldom registering 85 degrees in the shade in summer or below 65 or 70 degrees in winter. There is always a breeze from the ocean which moderates the temperature to a great extent.

While we were there they were having their season of damp weather, which was rather unpleasant, but it was not particularly noticeable except in the morning and evening. Their rainy season occurs during our winter, but showers are very frequent the year round, coming up without much warning. The people always go prepared for rain, but after a shower, there being very little mud or dust, the roads and walks dry very quickly.

One very remarkable fact concerning the islands is that there are no fresh water springs, lakes or streams, the entire supply being obtained from the rainfall. Every house is supplied with a stone tank or reservoir for storing the water which is led to it through filters. If one happens to be temporarily out of water he buys of another, but this does not ofter occur, because of the frequent showers.

There are not more than eight or ten thousand people in Bermuda, two-thirds of them being colored, the remainder being chiefly descendants of English settlers. The native population of Hamilton, the largest town, is between two and three thousand, this being varied, of course, by the number of tourists always there. There is only one other town of any importance, St. Georges, about 13 miles from Hamilton and a much older town. We were driven there, in the afternoon of the day we landed. Driving is delightful, owing to the absence of dust on the roads which are hard as macadam, and which liberally intersect the islands. These drives pass through ever-changing scenery of hills, covered with foliage, of deep ravines and beautiful views of land and water. The roads are so laid out that it is very seldom that one returns by the same road he goes.

On our first drive we visited "The Devil's Hole," which is a small underground cave filled with salt water, in which are kept many kinds of peculiar fish. From there we went to Crystal Cave, the largest one there, only discovered and opened about a year ago, which is 96 feet deep perpendicularly, 100 feet wide and 240 feet long. It displays a magnificent variety of stalactites and stalagmites. In St. Gorges, we visited the Public Garden, where we saw many pretty and curious trees and flowers, all of which are peculiar to Bermuda, among them are all kinds of cacti, palms, roses and lilies. Roses of every kind grow out of doors and bloom profusely the year round. The Bermuda lily has a world wide reputation. The cultivation and sale of the bulb is one of the important industries, also the raising and exporting of onions, arrowroot and potatoes.

Although the soil is quite fertile, only about one-fourth is cultivated. They raise both sweet and Irish potatoes, and all kinds of vegetables, bananas, melons, sugar cane, coffee and papaws for their own use, also a few lemons, sour oranges and limes, but only a very little grain, except corn and not enough hay for their own use. A few years ago all kinds of fruit were grown, but because of a small fly, it was necessary to destroy the trees. Another important industry is the manufacture and sale of souvenirs, made from the native cedar tree and coral. During our drives we saw the famous Calabash tree and mahogany and rubber trees, but most of the trees are cedar and spruce, which is not native, but imported. The oleanders, which in many instances grow as large as trees, were very beautiful, June being the month when they bloom most plentifully. We could walk along the road, many times for perhaps a mile or more, with each side bordered by white, pink and dark red blossoms.

Upon reaching Bermuda, the tourist is at first unfavorably impressed by the high walls surrounding so many of the dwellings and bordering the streets and roads, giving the idea that they wish to exclude strangers, but on the contrary the people are very friendly and hospitable. These walls, which are from four or five to 20 feet high, were built many years ago to protect them from attacks by pirates to which they were subjected. The roads, as a rule, are very narrow, one in particular being but ten feet wide, and for this reason, in connection with the high walls and sharp turns no street cars or automobiles are permitted on the islands. The only means of transportation on land is by carriage or bicycle. One custom of the Bermudians which seemed singular to us, is that of keeping to the left in passing on the road, whether walking or driving. There is not much danger of collision, as every wagon or bicycle must carry a light after sundown. At night it is much safer to walk in the roads than on the sidewalks, because every little way, instead of grading them as we do, there are from two to five or six steps. If one is not very familiar with the walks, this makes it quite dangerous.

The transparency and beautiful blue of the water surrounding the islands, is remarkable. One of the trips planned for us, was to the coral reefs and aquarium. It being a still day, we could see distinctly through the glass bottoms of the boat the beautiful marine gardens at the bottom of the sea, at depths of 15 to 40 feet. Here all kinds of coral, sea fans, sea rods, beautiful anemones, sponges and many kinds of fish combined to form a picture we can never forget. At the acquarium, which is situated on an island by itself, we saw all kinds of fish and sea animals found near Bermuda, among which are sea horses, spotted and green moray, angel fish, box fish grouper and major fish, small sharks, devil fish, etc. Whales formerly inhabited the waters around the islands, but are now rarely seen. Some of us were fortunate enough to see one on the voyage going down, about half way between New York and Bermuda, this being a very rare occurrence. We also saw a great many flying fish.

There are a great many species of birds found on the islands, among which are the beautiful cardinal grosbeak, blue birds, catbirds, pigeons, and a bird they call the longtail which is nearly white.

Another of our drives was to Gibbs Hill Light House, about eight miles from Hamilton. This light house is 362 feet above sea level, requiring 183 steps from ground to top. The lamp has five wicks of 20,000 candle power each, when reflected by the enormous globe surrounding it. It is visible 37 miles and cost $20,000. It burns eight gallons of kerosene every night which is brought from the United States. The lamp weighs two tons, but revolves on mercury so easily that only a very slight push, with the fingers, will move it. All colors of the rainbow may be seen in the globe. There is one other light house on the islands, St. Davids. At the top of Gibbs Hill light house we could get a splendid view of the islands.

The local government of Bermuda is administered by a governor appointed by the King for six years. He has a beautiful home on the islands. He is assisted by councils and an assembly composed of 36 members chosen from nine parishes for a term of seven years. They require properly qualifications in order to vote or hold office. While there, we attended a trial of two soldiers accused of theft. The chief justice attired in a long black gown and wearing a gray wig, wrote out in long hand, every word of evidence, both for prosecution and defense, as did also the prosecuting attorney. They (the soldiers) defended themselves, and won the case.

The color line is drawn very closely in regard to education. They have public schools, but none but colored children attend. Each is taxed a few cents a week, although no one is excluded because of inability to pay. White children receive instruction in private schools or have tutors at home. We visited a colored school, for a short time one forenoon. There were two teachers in one room and two recitations in progress at the same time. The little black boys and girls conducted themselves much like many of our own little people do in school, at the appearance of strangers.

One walk that we took was to Spanish Point, about three or four miles from Hamilton, where, in the afternoon of the day we were there, two large sharks were captured, one being nine and the other 12 feet in length. We were not fortunate enough to see them, as we only stayed until noon. On the Thursday before we left, we were among the large crowd that gathered on the pier to watch the "Bermudian" coming into harbor. This was the only mail we received while there. The boat always remains in port two days, and on Saturday we were all ready for the return voyage, although we cauld have spent another week or more very profitably in sight seeing. We left the pier at about 10 a. m., after bidding farewell to the friends with whom we had become acquainted and who had shown us such a pleasant time.

Our return voyage was nearly as pleasant and smooth as the trip to the islands, except that it was not moonlight, and we had one slight shower. About 2 a. m., Monday, the boat became engulfed in a dense fog, which continued until about 9:30 or 10 a. m. When the fog lifted we were a great many miles out of our course, but we reached New York harbor at about noon, where George T. Smeaton of Towanda, met the returning party, and accompanied them to the Albert Hotel, where they were entertained during their stay in the city, sightseeing, which lasted until Tuesday evening at 6:30, when the party separated, part of the girls remaining with friends in the city and the rest returning to their homes. All were delighted with the tour and declared the trip had equalled or excelled their brightest anticipations. We are, surely, all very grateful to the friends who assisted us in securing the trip and to the Towanda Printing Company, who made the trip possible.

HAZEL ROSS,
Burlington, District 6.

More granges have been organized in the United States in the last nine months than in any other year since 1874. The record for the full year should be a veritable record smasher. Of the ninety-six organizations for the quarter ending July 1, fourteen were in Pennsylvania.

Recently Governor Stuart stated that forestry is a cause, very dear to anybody who is interested in his state. Gifford Pinchot, forester of the United States government, says that Pennsylvania is at the head of the procession of states interested in forestry.

Whenever prohibition laws are violated the news is spread before the whole country. And the tale loses nothing in the teiling.

CODDING.

Miss Sophronia McClelland was very pleasantly entertained at her home on Wednesday evening, Aug. 4, when about 30 of her young friends gave her a genuine birthday surprise party, it being her 17th birthday. She received many nice presents. Ice cream and cake were served. The young people departed at a late hour wishing Miss McClelland many more happy birthdays.

Mrs. Noel Weed spent last week with her sister, Mrs. George Weed, at Laurel Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Millard Ward of Rochester, and H. L. McClelland, and neice Martha Hiney of Ulster, were visitors last week at G. W. McClelland's.

ALLIS HOLLOW.

Miss Alice Hollister, who has been visiting at C. H. Allis, for two weeks is visiting at E. E. Brown's.

The Allis Hollow ball team defeated Mercur on their grounds last Saturday. Score 14 to 7.

There will be an ice cream social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rowe on Thursday evening, August 12 for the benefit of the Ladies' Aid.

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TOWANDA, PA., AUGUST 12, 1909.

LeRoy Robinson of Stevenson, was in town yesterday.

Mrs. N. N. Betts is visiting her sister at Hancock, N. Y.

Miss Edna Smiley is visiting in Athens, Sayre and Waverly.

Mrs. Clarence Murphy of Cuba, is visiting relatives in Towanda.

Judge Lynch of Luzerne county, granted five divorces on Wednesday.

Miss Lillian Russell is visiting relatives at Lake Carey and Tunkhannock.

Susquehanna people are elated because a milk station is to be located there.

Employees of the Lehigh shops at Sayre, will picnic at Harvey's lake on August 21.

A marriage license was granted yesterday to Carl L. Packard and Gertrude Snell.

Mrs. A. C. Blackwell is visiting at the home of her son, Carson Blackwell in Troy.

Dr. Adelbert D. Dye of Williamsport is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Dye.

Misses Bertha Kapp and May Deegan of Laquin, were shopping in Towanda yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. William D. Cleveland of Houston, Texas, are visiting Miss Griffin, Main street.

D. A. Keefe, the well known architect and bridge engineer, was down from Athens yesterday.

A. D. Dye and family, and W. J. Bresee and family, yesterday enjoyed a picnic at Durell creek.

Rev. and Mrs. A. A. Bresee and son Randall of Lehighton, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Dye.

Mrs. J. H. Tabor of Williamsport, spent yesterday in Towanda, the guest of Mrs. F. P. Layman.

The annual old church meeting at Burlington will be held the last Saturday and Sunday in August.

Mrs. P. Scheilveiss of New York city, formerly Miss Emma Wolfe, is visiting relatives in Towanda.

Mrs. S. R. Payne of Athens, has accompanied her daughter, Mrs. Harry Kline, to her home at Anamose, North Dakota.

Mrs. Allan Tuttle and daughter Olive and Mrs. G. F. Pierce of North Towanda, are spending a week in Buffalo.

Miss Happy Kellogg has returned to her home in Monroeton after a visit with friends in Syracuse and Auburn.

Mrs. Leslie Holcomb of East Troy, spent Wednesday and Thursday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Brink, at Luthers Mills.

Miss Catherine Osborne who has been spending several weeks at Lake Winola and Tunkhannock, has returned home.

Friends of Homer Greene are much pleased to learn that he has improved in health sufficiently to return to his home in Honesdale.

Special Officer Aaron F. Eddy is serving on the night police force during the absence of J. W. Allen, who is enjoying his annual vacation.

R. M. Welles, who has been confined to his home for several weeks, is gradually improving, and is able to be out for a short time each day.

The coach shop employees at Sayre hereafter will work but eight hours a day. Those desiring longer days, will be transferred to other departments.

Miss Jennie Benedict of Towanda, visited Mrs. Harris of Laceyville, Mrs. James Mannings and other relatives at the Eddy, the past two weeks.—Laceyville Messenger.

Former Governor William A. Stone, who has been spending his vacation at his Pine Creek cabin, in Tioga county returned to his Pittsburg home and law office on Monday.

J. H. Chaffee of Hornbrook, expects to attend the National Encampment of the G. A. R. at Salt Lake City next week. He will be a delegate from Watkins Post of Towanda.

Misses Lida and Leona Bink of Wickizer, have returned from a visit in Waverly, and are guests at the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Eddy on Third street.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Swaninger have returned from Galeton, where they have been spending a few days with the lady's mother, Mrs. Lewis Snyder who has been very ill but is much improved.

Captain J. Andrew Wilt has received his commission and badge as a member of General Nevius' staff of officers for the National Encampment of the G. A. R. to be held at Salt Lake City next week.

George Leljedal has returned from Atwater, N. Y., Wednesday accompanied by his mother, started for Providence, R. I., where they will visit the lady's sister, who she has not seen in 27 years.

Mrs. M. A. Dodge of South Burlington, spent Wednesday with her niece, Mrs. J. N. McKean, who with her husband leave Saturday to visit Mrs. Dodge's son at Carlisle, Indiana. Mr. McKean is one of Towanda's faithful and efficient R. F. D. men.

WILLIAM WELLING BITTEN BY A DOG.

Toytown Resident Painfully Injured Monday—Dog Killed.

William Welling of Pratt avenue, was bitten and badly injured Monday by a dog owned by George Adams. The canine's teeth made five wounds in Welling's left leg. Dr. S. M. Woodburn cauterized the wounds.

The dog, which was muzzled, had been away from home for three days, returning yesterday. The muzzle proved ineffective when the animal attacked Welling. The dog was immediately killed, and Dr. Marshall, the veterinary, was called, and removed the head, sending it to the State Livestock Sanitary board for examination.

DEEDS RECORDED.

With Location of Lands, Names of Parties and Consideration.

Wyalusing Township.—January 17, 1908. Estate of Mary R. Camp to William D. Hammerly; 4 acres 4 rods, $100.

Ridgebury Township—April 16, 1909 G. Francis Vernier and wife to Eleanor A. Vernier; 6 acres, $1.

Athens Borough.—July 12, 1909. Andrew C. McGovern and wife to Margaret A. Seeley; lot, $1,800.

Towanda Borough.—July 12, 1909. Mary Mercur Eshleman to Adelbert D. Dye; lot, $1.

Towanda Borough.—July 9, 1909. The Sayre Building and Loan Association to F. B. Wells; lot, $1.

Athens Borough.—July 16, 1909. Joseph McKinney and wife to T. A. Seward; lot, $1,089.72.

Sayre Borough.—October 12, 1905. Emily M. and Guy M. Tozer to Martin H. Sawtelle; lot, $1,000.

Sayre Borough.—October 13, 1905. J. T. Corbin to Martin H. Sawtelle; lot, $1.

Athens Borough.—July 3, 1909. Frank Corneby and wife to Mort Boston; lot, $200.

Sayre Borough.—July 16, 1909. Treva M. Thompson and Harry C. Thompson to Seward T. Larnard; lot, $1.

Sayre Borough.—July 16, 1909. Harry C. Thompson and wife to Seward T. Larnard; lot, $1.

Sayre Borough.—July 16, 1909. Treva M. and Harry C. Thompson to Zoe A. Larnard; lot, $1.

Springfield Township.—July 15, 1909 Annie Pomeroy Holcombe and George O. Holcombe estate to Dayton Tracy; 75 acres, $1,200.

Rome Township.—July 19, 1909. Lewis T. Frost to E. M. Clark; lot, $15.

Athens Township.—July 19, 1909. Margaret and James J. Barry to William Farr; 80 acres, $1,500.

Sayre Borough.—February 23, 1909. Michael M. and Catherine Vail to James R. and William F. Vail; lot, $1.

North Towanda Township.—July 17, 1909. Henry Streeter to Allen L. Mead; lot, $1.

Pike Township.—April 23, 1909. Julia E. and Essy M. Hopkins to Joseph Harvey Edwards; lots, $5,000.

Tuscarora and Wyalusing Townships.—July 19, 1909. Willie Hawley and wife to A. A. Hawley; 25 acres, $200.

Columbia Township.—May 6, 1909. Charles H. Gernert and wife to Almira Rockwell; 1 acre, $100.

Smithfield Township.—May 28, 1909. M. Josephine Allen to Marry Allen Lane; 70 acres, $1.

Herrick Township.—July 19, 1909. N. H. Allis and wife to W. H. Homet; lots, $1,500.

STUBBORN FARMER.

Refuses to Clean Up Around Barn and Can Sell No Butter or Milk.

Says the Scranton Tribune: "An illustration of the stubbornness of humans comes from the Honesdale region. The man is a farmer. Some weeks ago Inspector Phil Rinsland of the city service, made a tour of the Honesdale region and among the places selected for general overhauling and cleaning was the dairy barns on this man's farm. He was told that he would have to clean up. He'd be hanged if he would, he declared. Thereupon, the machinery of the city and state got working and the ban was placed on the butter and milk produced by the farmer. The state authorities notified all dealers not to accept any milk or butter until such a time as the ban was lifted. That was a week ago, and this farmer has not sold a pound of butter or a quart of milk since. Still, with 21 cows on his hands, he holds out and refuses to make the cleaning required of him. "He's got sand anyway," said Inspector Rinsland yesterday, "but sooner or later he'll have to give in or go bankrupt."

Women Fight Porcupine.

Mrs. Mahala Chilson and her granddaughters, Alice and Emma Baker, of Cross Fork, Potter county, had a right lively encounter with a porcupine a few days since. Mrs. Chilson had been calling at the home of her granddaughters, and when she returned home the two young ladies accompanied her. Upon entering the grandmother's home they found that a large porcupine had taken possession of the place. They at once proceed to kill the intruder, and a fierce fight of two hours' duration ensued, in which the quills were all knocked out of the visitor. But, he still persisted in fighting, and grew more savage after being divested of his sharp quills, until finally Mrs. Chilson, who is nearly 70 years old, secured a shovel, and knocked out the porcupine.

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SPECTACLE FAKIR FLIMFLAMS AGED LADY.

Smooth Tongued Individual Gets Away With Several Things.

Another Bradford county resident has been flimflammed by a smooth tongued gent. Wednesday aged lady came to the county seat and made her way to the Prudential office which is in charge of Superintendent B. F. Tuthill. She was greatly disappointed when she failed to find a gab gifted gent and a big stock of spectacles, and other jewelry.

It seems that a few days ago a young man came to her home, and finding her using glasses, he examined them. They were all wrong according to his theories, and he proceeded to make them right. Taking the lens from the gold rims, he placed them in silver rims, and then fixed them so she could use them until she visited Towanda, when he would have the gold rims repaired.

He also posed as a buyer of old gold, and the lady hunted up a gold chain, beads and some other articles in gold, which he took as part payment for the repairs on the spectacles She also gave him what money she had in the house, after which he departed, saying that she could find him in his office which was "just across the street from the Tidd hotel in Towanda."

Wednesday, the poor old lady tried to find him, but as he had never had an office anywhere in Towanda, she was unsuccessful.

NEW MACHINE SHOP.

Building on South Main Street Leased For Term of Years.

George D. James of Wellsboro, has leased of Chas L. Tracy for a term of years the building on South Main street, formerly used as a finishing room by the Penn Chair Co., and will on Aug. 15, or as soon as machinery can be installed and building repaired, open a garage and general repair shop.

B. W. Keagle of Towanda, for the past two years employed in the Lehigh machine shops at Sayre, and J. C. Butters, for seven years with Humphrey Mfg. Co., and for the past three years employed in the S. & N. Y. R. R. machine shops, will have charge of the mechanical work in the new shop.

Modern machinery will be installed and if skill and strict attention to business will merit patronage, they expect to have their share. The deal was consummated through the Hollon Real Estate agency.

A Bad Accident.

On Wednesday last Burton Bennett of Keech Hill was engaged in mowing a large field of hay, and in going down a steep pitch a strap in the harness broke allowing the machine to run against the horses. Mr. Bennett threw the machine out of gear but in some manner the knives came against the leg of one of the horses, cutting off the cord just above the ankle. Dr. N. C. Bennett was called and after some trouble stopped the flow of blood Whether the animal will ever be of any use is doubtful.—LeRaysville Times.

Mail Carrier Wanted.

A notice has been hanging in the postoffices at Wyalusing and at Camptown for the past few days that is of especial interest to the people of the latter village. The notice calls for bids for carrying the mails from the Wyalusing office to Camptown, the successful bidder to leave Camptown at 8:45 a. m. each week day and to arrive in Wyalusing at 9:15 o'clock, and to leave Wyalusing at 5:00 p. m., arriving at Camptown thirty minutes later. The contract which will be entered into will cover a period of four years from August 30, 1909 to August 30, 1913, the bond required for the carring out of the contract being $600.

From the Country.

The other day a stranger walked in the Tidd house, and picked up the pen to inscribe his name on the register. It was his first stop at a hotel, and he was uncertain just what to do. Scanning the register closely, he saw the names of well known Towanda people and after each one in the space for residence the word "city." With a slow, and trembling hand he inscribed his, John Hancock, and instead of city or the name of his home town, he wrote the word "country," and walked into the dining room and ate as heartily as anyone there.

Grange Picnic.

There will be a basket picnic on Aug. 26, in West's Grove three miles Southwest of Milan, under the auspices of Laurel Hill Grange No. 1161. One of the chief attractions of the program will be an address by Worthy State Master Creasy. Music will be furnished by the Smithfield Cornet band. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend and hear one of the foremost of Pennsylvania's farmers and advocators of farmers' rights.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address: F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c.
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BARK DESTROYED IN ROME TOWNSHIP FIRE.

Large Force of Fire Fighters Required to Quench Flames.

A fire of unknown origin did considerable damage in the woods on the W. J. McCabe farm in Rome township Wednesday afternoon. Mott & Mc Craney who are the owners of the timber, will lose considerable through the work of the flames.

The fire started in the woods where Bailey is peeling bark, about 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. Everything being thoroughly dry from the long drought, the flames spread rapidly and several stacks of bark were swept away, as well as a quantity of timber.

A number of men in the neighborhood started in to fight the fire, but the flames gained so rapidly, that it was necessary to send to Towanda for help. Albert McCraney, who is a half owner of timber took three wagon loads of men from the county seat to the scene of the conflagration and after a couple of hours hard work, the flames were brought under control.

HATCH MOUNTAIN ON FIRE.

L. T. Smith Received a Letter Telling Him that Fire Would Be Started

Evidently some persons do not take kindly to the leasing of Hatch mountain by L. T. Smith, thus preventing the promiscuous picking of huckle berries, according to the following from this week's New Albany Mirror:

"Last Tuesday L. T. Smith received an anoymous letter warning him that the huckleberry mountain would be set on fire the following day, and sure enough on Wednesday fire broke out in the big pickings and has raged ever since. The berry-pickers have mostly been driven from the mountain and a large portion of the late crop of berries destroyed. The incendiary spirit that conceived this wanton mischief is a good candidate for the penitentiary. If it should be found out who kindled the flames the festive fireman will have a free ride to Cherry Hill and a cool place to spend several months of his future life."

Barn Burned.

Says the Laceyville Messenger. "On Tuesday, last week Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Durling, who live on the Chester Lepper farm, which lies on the cross road leading from Lacey street to Indian Hill, went to Ulster to visit friends, and that afternoon the small boy with the destructive match got in his disastrous work. About 4 o'clock flames shooting up from the barn were seen by the neighbors who hurried to the scene but too late to put out the fire or save the contents. The barn contained about eight tons of hay, a quantity of feed, farming implements, etc., partially covered by insurance, there being $300 on the barn and $250 on the contents. The insurance was carried by the Lewis & Vose agency, Tunkhannock, Mr. Lewis coming up Monday to adjust the loss."

Farmer Dead in Field.

William Osmun of North Hartford, a prominent Susquehanna county farmer, was found dead in a field Monday morning. Mr. Osmun arose at the usual time and was apparently in the best of health. After breakfast he remarked to other members of the family that he intended to repair a fence. Taking an axe he started for the fence, which was on a distant part of the farm. Nothing out of the ordinary was thought when Mr. Osmund did not return to dinner, as he was in the habit of being a little late for his meals, especially if he was doing some work he was anxious to finish. As he did not return for several hours his daughter Mary went in search of him, and found him lying on the ground dead. Heart failure was undoubtedly the cause of death.

ANOTHER REAL ESTATE DEAL.

Joseph J. Morrison Buys Seebich Block of George S. Russell.

The transferring of real estate in Towanda borough continues brisk. George S. Russell has sold the Seebich block on South Main street to Joseph J. Morrison, who will occupy it with his printing office.

This is a three story block in a good location, and is adaptable to the business for which it will be used. The first or main floor has been used as barracks for the Salvation Army for several years, while the second and third floors are used as dwelling apartments.

Orders to Operators.

Orders have been issued to Lehigh telegraph operators that in the future when first class trains are late, notice to this effect must be furnished to both the conductors and engineers of freight trains. In the past operators have made it a practice to notify only engineers when first class trains were late. As a result the engineer would pull ahead, thinking he had time to take a more distant siding while the conductor, not knowing the train behind was late, would frantically attempt to stop the engineer. By both being notified, both will know just how far to pull ahead before taking a siding to let the faster train pass.—Sayre Times-Record.

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WORD PICTURE OF PRETTY NEW ALBANY.

Village is Some Pumpkins in Commercial Field, According to Mirror

The New Albany Mirror this week gives the following word picture of the pretty village which is certainly some pumpkins in the commercial field

"The chief industry of this section is agriculture, so the differet lines of business in a general way contribute to that line of work.

"Billings & Kelder, hay dealers, are doing a business amounting to about $50,000 annually.

"The F. T. Mynard Roller Mills average about $3,000 per month.

"The New Albany Milk Station uays out an average of $3,000 per month for milk and labor. The expressage on milk shipped from this station amounts to about $800 per month.

"O. W. Fawcetts Mills aggregate about $2,000 per month.

"We have a presidential postoffice, and the salaries of the postmaster, of the rural carriers and the incidental expenses of the office accumulates the neat sum of $5,000. We have four rural routes, covering a large scope of country contiguous to New Albany.

"The volume of business done by our merchants amounts to more than $130,000 annually.

"The First National Bank is the pride of the town. At the last statement it showed deposits amounting to $71,060.79.

"Our schools are fully up to the standard. We have three grades and at the close of the last term twelve of our brightest young people graduated with honors.

"The freight shipping at this station is something enormous. We have not been able to get figures on this point, but it is well known that New Albany is the most important shipping point on this branch of the Lehigh Valley.

"The Ackley Novelty Works is an eterprise of no mean proportions. Articles manufactured there are shipped to all parts of the country. Mr. Ackley's patent tie plug is the most popular "peg" with the railroad people, and by means of his patent he has a monopoly on that product. We have not been informed as to the volume of business done by that establishment.

"We have two telephone companies doing a paying business, and a gas plant which supplies the finest kind of light to the patrons of that enterprise.

"Our water system is something to brag about. Taking its supply from the purest of mountain springs, at an elevation that gives 85 pounds pressure. For domestic and fire purposes there are few equals ad none superior in the state.

"We have two fine churches, three roomy, nicely equipped lodge halls, Odd Fellows, P. O. S. of A., Grangers, Rebeckahs, G. A. R., and W. C. T. U. societies.

"We find our space too limited to tell of all the advantages of our town, but when a town of our size gets ahead of us, they will have to get up and hustle."

Interesting Report.

At the meeting of Pomona Grange, No. 23 at Litchfield on Thursday of this week, the committee appointed to make comparison of assessments of real estate in Bradford county, will submit their report, which will be very interesting. This report will show that after a careful examination the farming lands of the county are the most highly assessed, and that property in Sayre borough is the lowest. The committee which has made careful inquiry into this important matter will urge that steps be taken at once to equalize the taxation throughout the county.

Galusha A. Grow Collection.

The semi-annual meeting of the Susquehanna County Historical society will be held in the association building on Saturday. There will be a formal presentation to the society of the relics and possessions bequeathed by the late Hon. Galusha A. Grow. Some of the articles are modern, others ancient, and all are of interest as souvenirs and curiosities. The speech of presentation will be delivered by Hon. James T. DuBois of Hallstead.

Wants $50,000 Damages.

F. E. Ryan, a shoe clerk of Scranton, has begun a suit in trespass against the Pennsylvania Railroad company for $50,000 in the Luzerne county courts. Injuries to his head caused by falling slate from the roof of the Nanticoke station of the company are made the basis of the claim. The plaintiff says the injuries were received while he was waiting for a train of the defendant company and the injuries are alleged to be of a permanent nature.

Harvest Social.

There will be an ice cream social at G. G. Allis', South Hill on Saturday evening, Aug. 14. A program consisting of solos, recitations, vocal and instrumental duets will be given. Everybody come and enjoy a good time. Proceeds for the benefit of the church.

Divorce Doings.

A divorce has been granted Maria Hatch from Norman W. Hatch, on the grounds of desertion. The parties are residents of Albany township. A subpoena in divorce has been granted in the case of H. E. Steinhauser vs. Selima Steinhauser.

Soothes itching, burning or burns without scratching, eczema, salt rheum. Doan's Ointment. Your druggist sells it.

ITALIANS FROM POWELL IN PECULIAR MIXUP.

Man Arrested for Desertion, Claims He Has No Lawful Wife.

Charles Faroy, alias "Little Frank", an Italian employee of the Union Tanning company at Powell, was arrested Wednesday morning by constable Hollon on a warrant issued by Squire Meredith, on a complaint made by Adelia Faroy, his wife, who alleges that her husband had separated himself from her and failed to maintain her. It is also alleged that Faroy committed an assault upon his wife a few moments previous to his fight from Powell, being overtaken at Monroeton and placed under arrest by the officer.

Faroy's defense is that Adelia is not his lawful wife, the marriage ceremony having been performed by an uncle, who had them join hands and consider themselves one. Faroy claims that his uncle had no authority to join them in the bonds of holy wedlock and says that they are not one, but two.

Scranton's Novel Hotel.

Scranton is to have a new hotel, which is expected to be one of the show places of that section of the country, and what, perhaps will be its most unique feature will be a "coal mine cafe," located in the centre of the main grill room on the first floor of the hotel. This cafe is to be a replica of a coal mine, with nothing but solid chunks of coal being used in its walls. Everything that appears in a regular mine "chamber" will be embodied in the cafe, such as the rough walls and roof, from which ice cold water will trickle, as it does in nature. The dark, eerie aspect, the dull lighting by electric torches, made to represent the lamps used in the mine, the entrance and exits, one and all of which are to be made similar to those seen in the anthracite collieries, are bound to make the spot one of interest to vistors to the city.

Coxton Yards Congested.

Says the Sayre Times-Record: Many months have passed since the Lehigh has had trouble with yard congestion but the Coxton yards narrawly escaped Friday. There came a sudden rush of westbound traffic. The yard workmen were not prepared to handle it at once. Six crews were rushed east from Sayre, running there with only engines and cabooses and when these extra crews had pulled out six trains, the danger of congestion had passed.

Warning the Merchants.

Many of the County Treasurers throughout the state are calling attention to a provision in the mercantile law that requires all merchants subject to law to have in front of their places of business a sign with the name of the owner, owners of company, and describing the business conducted. The fine for failure to comply with the law is $20 and the treasurers are giving this notice in order that all may have fair warning before the law is enforced.

Springfield Township Teachers.

The directors of Springfield township have hired the following teachers for the coming term of school: Springfield, Daisy Doane; Berrytown, Eliza Griffith; Leona, Daisy Kennedy; Brace, Mrs. Ada Ferry; Newbury, Charles Fanning; Bardwell, Leon Jelliff; Harkness, Mrs. O. E. Crediford; Wetona Graded, Principal, G. H. Woodworth, assistant, Louise Pierce; Big Pond Graded, Principal, Mrs. Gussie Ballard, assistant, Matta Allen.

TIRED OF LIFE, ALFRED COLE COMMITS SUICIDE.

Lumberman Drinks Ounce of Laudanum and Dies From the Effects.

Alfred Cole, a lumberman, about 38 years of age, committed suicide Monday at the home of Eve Northrup a short distance above the East Towanda railway station. Death was due to a heavy dose of laudanum.

Cole first came to Towanda two years ago, when he had plenty of money and was enjoying life immensely. He squandered about $1,600 in a short time and then returned to work. Of late he had been working in the woods at Laquin, and returned to Towanda about two weeks ago, since which time he has been dissipating.

Monday morning he left the Northrup home at East Towanda where he had been staying, and came to Towanda for the purpose of going to Laquin on the early S. & N. Y. train. Instead he procured an ounce of laudanum, and returned to the Northrup home at East Towanda. Going up stairs, he drank the deadly drug and calmly laid down on a bed to await death.

The barking of the dog attracted the attention of some of the people in the house, and on going up stairs they found Cole unconscious. Dr. T. Benjamin Johnson, county coroner, was summoned, and he reached the house about 11:45. Cole was still alive, and the doctor applied artificial respiration, and tried hard to stay the hand of death, but to no avail. Death occurred about 12:15, noon. The empty laudanum bottle told the cause of death, and the coroner did not deem an inquest necessary.

The body was taken in charge by Murphy & Maryott and prepared for burial. A brother of the deceased who lives at Ricketts, claimed the body.

Purchased Timber Tract.

Charles E. Murphy of Towanda, has purchased 175 acres of timber in Monroe township on what is known as the Smith tract. He expects to clear the tract before long, and place the lumber on the market.

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MR. KIPP NOMINATED IN SPITE OF HIS PROTESTS.

Former Congressman From This District Placed on State Ticket.

Hon. G. W. Kipp of Towanda, former congressman from this district, Wednesday was nominated for State treasurer by the Democrats in State convention at Harrisburg. This was done in spite of his protest and declination to be a candidate. Guffey's entire "slated ticket" went through, and on it was the name of Mr. Kipp. Here is the ticket:

Supreme Court Justice—C. LaRue Munson, Lycoming.

Auditor-General—J. Wood Clark, Indianna.

State Treasurer—George W. Kipp, Bradford.

P. Gray Meek, secretary of the Democratic State committee, on the authority of Colonel Guffey, according to the Philadelphia Record, called Mr. Kipp on the telephone from Harrisburg on Tuesday.

Meek referred to the disquieting dispatch as to Kipp's refusal to run. Everybody, Meek said, was for Kipp for the office, but the convention must be sure that its nomination would not be followed by a declination.

"But I don't want the office," said Kipp.

"We know you don't," Meek replied, "but the Democrats propose to nominate you, whether you want it or not."

Kipp quickly asked, "Does the committee want to bleed me?"

It had been announced that Kipp's refusal to run was that he did not desire to tour the counties and spend from $20,000 to $25,000. He is a banker, has large lumber interests and has acquired a fortune as an able and honorable business man.

"No," Meek replied, "there is no such thought as bleeding you. We are not considering what you may do or may not do in the way of contributing to the party treasury. Do as you please. But the Democrats from the four corners of the state say that you are the best man to make the run. You defeated Congressman Mial E. Lilley in 1906, and you would have been again elected to congress in that Republican district last fall if it had not been the presidential year.'

"Kipp, though not expressing consent, made no further objection, and after asking various questions about the situation, told Meek to finish the talk with Johnston, the son-in-law. Johnston offered the same protest that had come from Kipp against pressing the latter into service, and Meek detailed the outlook. Johnston wanted to know whether Mr. Kipp would be expected to do any campaigning before the end of this month. Meek said the middle of September would be the time. Mr. Kipp, the son-in-law said, would find it impossible to go down to Harrisburg for the convention. Meek said it would make no difference, although of course the delegates would like to see him. Johnston concluded by saying that probably Kipp would send a representative to Harrisburg on the next train out of town.

"So without positive assurance from Mr. Kipp that he would stand as a candidate, the delgates are going ahead in confidence that he will."

And ahead they went and named the Towandian. Now Mr. Kipp's many friends in both political parties will await with great concern as to his course after being placed in nomination literally against his will.

D. C. Not There.

Attorney D. C. DeWitt of Towanda, was slated by Guffey and other Democratic powers to place the name of Hon. G. W. Kipp in nomination for the office of state treasurer at the State convention at Harrisburg yesterday, but about the time he was supposed to be saying nice things about Mr. Kipp and Bradford county in general, he was limping about the streets of the far famed City of Promise. Mr. DeWitt is suffering with an attack of rheumatism, and walks with a cane and considerable difficulty. He was unable to attend the Democratic convention, and his nominating speech which the city papers had in type had to be laid aside.

Ulster School Change.

Says the Ulster correspondent of the Athens Gazette: Starting with this year the course at the Ulster High School has been increased from two to three years and another teacher added. This means that we are to have a fine school and at about the same expense as far as taxes are concerned, as before. Our directors are to be commended for arranging this course as it is just what is needed and will save many of our people the great expense of sending their pupils out of town to get the same instruction. The faculty this year will be Prof. Morrow, Mrs. H. Litzelman, Miss Kathryn Howie, Miss Louise Leonard and one teacher yet to be secured. The school will open Sept. 1 and if you desire any information regarding it write to George E. Forrest, secretary of the board.

Good Record.

Since its organization Dec. 2, 1904, the Canton Village Improvement association has paid out the tidy sum of $1,221.91 toward village betterments of various kinds, including $500 for good roads; $675 to the free public library; $14.70 for cutting unsightly weeds about town; and $37 in prizes for improvement of private premises.

Burglars at Athens.

Two homes on North Main street in Athens were visited by burglars Friday evening. A pocketbook containing about $13 was taken from the home of D. R. Stephens, and less than two dollars was taken from the residence of John Childs.

BIG TIME TO BE HAD AT NORTH ORWELL PICNIC.

Elaborate Preparations Being Made For Annual Gathering.

Elaborate preparations are being made for the annual Sunday school basket picnic at North Orwell, and if plans do not miscarry the gathering this year will be the greatest yet held in Eastern Bradford county.

The picnic will be held in Wilbur's grove at North Orwell on Saturday August 28. It will be a day devoted to having a good time and espousing the cause of "Temperance For Bradford County." The following well known speakers will be present and give talks on the subject of temperance: Rev. L. L. Vought, Rev. N. W. Barnes, Rev. F. J. Niles, Rev. W. S. Heermans, Rev. Jerry Swingle and many others.

William P. Wilson, Esq., of Towanda, will outline the present laws which regulate the liquor traffic in Pennsylvania. The following well known attorneys will discuss the subject of temperance from a legal standpoint: Hon. A. C. Fanning, Hon. E. M. Dunham, William Maxwell, and T. S. Hickok.

In addition to the addresses, there will be plenty of music, instrumental and vocal and an all around good time is promised. The picnic grounds have been greatly improved and there is plenty of room for all. Refreshments will be for sale on the grounds.

New Trial Granted.

Judge Terry, at Tunkhannock on Monday, handed down a decision granting a new trial in the case of Mrs. May Edwards Harvey vs. the Lehigh Valley Railroad company. At the former trial Mrs. Harvey was awarded by the jury $4,905 for her injuries, and the railroad company asked for a new trial. Before her marriage and before attaining her majority, Miss Edwards settled with the company for $100. Had she returned this money to the company before entering suit, the new trial would probably not have been granted, but as she failed to do so, the proceeding are set aside and a new trial granted. The court refused to reopen the Arch B. Miller case. Miller was awarded $1,200 for injuries received in the Vosburg tunnel.

Topless Potatoes Death to the Bugs.

Potatoes without tops are being raised by John Groves, of Salem, O., on a small patch of ground, and the fine, large "spuds" are being examined with curiosity and interest by hundreds of citizens and farmers, who have seen a number of them on exhibition. The patch of potatoes was planted by the owner after many experiments, and the bulbs have grown to the size of large hen eggs, without showing the sign of a sprout, but are clean and white and growing rapidly. Neighbors come from their potato bug slaughter to gaze in wonder at the topless crop of tubers.

A Good Place.

In the assignment of Committees for the Sixty-First Congress, made just before adjournment of the special session of Congress, Representative C. C. Pratt fared well, being given a place on two important Committees—Committee on Agriculture and Committee on Expenditures in the Department of Commerce and Labor. A place on the Committee on Agriculture is one of the most sought for assignments in the gift of the Speaker and the Representative in Congress from this district was more fortunate than new members usually are in being placed upon this Committee.

Eagles Attacks Hen.

A large eagle attacked a hen in a coop on the farm of C. R. Close, in Balsam, the other day The eagle succeeded in pulling the hen out of coop and was engaged in tearing it to pieces when help arrived, and the big bird was frightened away.—Mansfield Advertiser.

Milk Prices to Be Raised.

Commencing Thursday, August 10, Towanda milk men increased the price of milk one cent per quart. The drouth and scarcity of feed is given as the reason for the increased price.

OVERSHOT.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Carpenter and daughter Ruth of Cowley, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James Dunn

Miss Anita Sullivan of Rochester is visiting relatives in this place.

Miss Sadie Sullivan of Troy, is visiting her aunt, Miss Ellen Lynch.

Eugene Stanton of Troy, is visiting with friends at this place.

D. O'Sullivan spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Patrick O'Grady at Homets Ferry last week.

Margaret O'Sullivan, who has been spending a week with her parents, returned to Sayre.

Miss Marion Kershner, who spent the past week with Miss Margaret O'Sullivan, has returned to her home at Towanda.

F. C. O'Sullivan was one of the excursionests on Sunday.

John Hydan and Mary Hyden, of Pottsville, were married eighteen years ago by a civil authority but came to the conclusion that their union was not all it ought to have been and decided to be re-married by a religious ceremony, for which they have applied for license.

DON'T BE MISLED.

Many a life has been cut short by a cough that was not believed to be serious. Many a backache and sideache follows a coughing spell. Many a night is passed in restlessness caused by coughing. Many a cough "cure" that never cures is tried. Do not be misled. If you cough, take the old reliable Kemp's Balsam, the best cough cure. At druggists' and dealers', 25c.

W. C. T. U. CONVENTION TO BE HELD NEXT MONTH.

Towanda Methodist Church Will Be Scene of 24th Annual Meeting.

The W. C. T. U. of Bradford county will hold its twenty-fourth annual convention in the Methodist church in Towanda Wednesday and Thursday Sept. 1 and 2. This is the 3d convention which has been held in the county seat in the long history of this organization. Plans are being made to make this an especially helpful meeting. One evening will be occupied by one of the national W. C. T. U. speakers, Miss Lillian Phelps of Niagara. It is expected that a gold medal contest will be held on the second evening.

The members of the W. C. T. U. of Bradford county number only about 500. But this number is sufficient to endeavor to arouse the conscience of voters who will see that for the next legislature men are selected whose word can be relied upon to give Pennsylvania a good local option law. For this cause especially as well as in the interest of general education along all temperance lines the W. C. T. U. summon to meet with them the men and women who are willing to espouse the cause and labor for these ends. The spirit of the crusades is not dead. In some of the recent campaigns women have borne for righteousness sake, insult and inconvenience that required heroic mettle.

YORKLEY'S BODY FOUND.

Man Who Went Down to Death With Beatrice Mullaney Buried.

Says Saturday's Sayre Times-Record: "Chief and Mrs. Walsh, Maurice Walsh, James Walsh, Jr., Jerome Walsh and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Drislane of Sayre, and Mrs. Anna Mullaney and Miss Margaret Mullaney of Dubois, and Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Mullaney and John Mullaney of Cross Forks, Pa., returned to Sayre Friday evening from Auburn where they attended the funeral of Miss Beatrice Mullaney who was drowned Sunday, Aug. 1, in Owasco Lake.

"The party that returned announces that the body of William Yorkley, the man who drowned with Miss Mullaney, has been recovered. Her body was found floating on the water but his body stayed at the bottom. Finally a man who was assiting in the search asked that a new plan be tried. Seines had been used ineffectually so he was given an opportunity to try his scheme. To a heavy iron rod, 20 feet in length, ropes were attached at either end. Then on the rod, but a few inches apart were attached fish hooks. The rod was dropped to the bottom of the lake and then by pulling on the ropes the rod could be dragged. In this manner the man's body was soon recovered."

PRESBYTERIAN PICNIC.

Towanda Presbyterian Sunday School Going to Lake Carey.

The Sunday school of the Towanda Presbyterian church will hold a basket picnic at Lake Carey on Friday, August 20. This is one of the finest picnic resorts in Pennsylvania, and an ideal place to spend a day. Among the attractions are swimming, boating, fishing, merry-go-round, etc. A special train has been secured, and the following schedule of fares has been arranged:

Station	adult	children
Towanda	$1.25	.65
East Towanda	1.25	.65
Wysox	1.20	.60
Standing Stone	1.10	.55
Rummerfield	1.05	.55
Homets Ferry	1.00	.50
Wyalusing	.85	.45
Laceyville	.65	.35
Meshoppen	.42	.25
Mehoopany	.38	.20

Lawyers' Tax as Dealers.

A number of Columbia county lawyers have a fight on their hands with the State over the payment of a mercantile tax. Those involved have engaged in the buying and selling of real estate, and this year acting under the directions of Auditor General Young the mercantile appraiser assessed them. With the exception of these all the mercantile licenses in Columbia county have been paid, the lawyers have served notice that they will fight the assessment in the Courts. The State has employed counsel also to push the collections.

Wants $5,000 For Dog Bite.

A. E. Baker, of Waverly, a traveling salesman for the Elmira Portrait Co., brought suit Saturday through his attorney, E. W. Eaton, for $5,000 damages against John Stewart, who lives near Monterey, Schuyler county. About two months ago Baker was bitten in the arm by a dog belonging to Stewart and the suit is a result of the injury.

Fate Grips Him Strangely.

A short electric circuit in a trolley car near Bloomsburg Tuesday shocked into unconsciousness Norman Maustel ler. His arm dangled from a window, struck a bridge and was broken Mausteller is the man who, a few weeks ago, lost by fire his fine hotel at Pine Summit.

Reporter-Journal $1 a year.

Popular Bathing Place.

The deep hole under the East end of the covered wagon bridge is a popuar bathing place for Towandians. Spring boards have been erected, and the young men are having a great time. A large crowd on the wagon bridge yesterday watched the swimmers, many of whom are expert.

JUSTICES WILL NOT RECEIVE INCREASED FEES.

Salaries Cannot Be Raised or Lowered During Term of Office.

Every justice of the peace in Bradford county will be greatly interested in the announcement that the county commissioners will refuse to pay bills made out according to the new fee law passed by the last legislature.

Fred R. Prince, chief clerk to the commissioners, has notified several justices to the effect that it is unconstitutional for him to pay costs under any except the old law. There is a constitutional provision which provides that the salaries of officers in the state cannot be raised or lowered during the incumbency of the officials then in office.

In other words a man who was in office when a law raising a salary was enacted cannot receive the benefit of the increase, but his successor will receive an increased salary. The new fee bill for justices provides for an increase in fees. Mr. Prince says that justices and constables holding office when the law was enacted cannot receive fees under the new bill. Their successors in office can of course receive fees in accordance with the recent enactment. Justices and constables do not receive salaries, instead they only receive fees and for this reason it is possible that they do not come within the limits of the constitutional provision in regard to raising or lowering salaries and may make an united kick.

Justices are elected for five years, and many have just nicely started upon their terms. If they cannot enjoy the benefits of the new fee law, then it is claimed that they can resign, petition for re-appointment and come within the law.

Father of Dirt Roads.

Says the Wayne Independent: "Representative Jones of Susquehanna county, the father of the system of improved dirt roads, is likely to become as famous as the man who conceived the homestead act. Farmers, liverymen, teamsters and all drivers of horses are discovering that the modern hard surfaced state highway is exhausting to the limbs of their faithful beasts. This knowledge which is spreading rapidly over the country is likely to create a sentiment which will soon run sufficiently strong to call a halt upon general road building of this character and the demand that all state aid shall be given to the improvement of dirt roads. For heavy traffic where the driving is not beyond the speed of a walk the hard surfaced road is, of course, not so injurious to horses. Future legislatures, at least throughout the eastern and middle states, will doubtless give more serious attention hereafter to the improvement of dirt roads. The demand for the modern hard highway comes largely from users of automobiles. Horsemen will not want a road that will use up their steeds."

Lucky Troy Boy.

Russell Gillett, the Troy youth, son of Mrs. J. M. Gillett, who enlisted in Rochester last week as a Naval apprentice, is in luck. He has, since his enlistment fallen heir in Madrid, Spain, to about $15,000. The money is not immediately available but it will be with nearly as much more from another source when he reaches his majority, four years hence. It comes from his uncle, Fred Kizer, who left an estate of about $30,000 the other half going to his wife. Young Gillett's mother, who until burned out a month ago, kept the Alpine Boarding house in East Main street, will sail for Spain about August 15th, to look after her son's interests. The young girl who has been a member of Mrs. Gillett's household since she came to Troy, is an adopted child and will not go with her to Spain. Russell Gillet's enlistment in the Navy is for four years.—Troy Gazette.

Objections to New Penny.

A Washington dispatch states that the new Lincoln penny, which was put in circulation on Monday for the first are objected to by some, who declare that a blunder has been made by the mint. The objectionable feature is that the initials of the designer, Victor D. Brenner of New York, appear on the coin in minute, raised letters. It is declared by those who know that the initials are close to the edge of the coin on the reverse side below the sheafs of wheat. Although very small they can be seen with the naked eye when one's attention is directed to them. The attention of the director of the mint will be called to the matter by coin collectors and he will be asked to rule upon it.

Prominent Potter County Man Dead.

E. O. Austin, the founder of Austin borough, Potter county, who was stricken with paralysis three weeks ago, died Sunday afternoon at Coudersport. Mr. Austin was an influential man in Potter county. He cleared the first farm in Austin, built the roads from Costello and Keating Summit to Austin, laid out the town of Austin and was instrumental in getting the Goodyears to locate their mammoth plant there. He surveyed much of Potter county.

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NEWS IN PARAGRAPHS.

Short Items of a Local and Personal Flavor.

Manning Tait is sojourning at Asbury Park.

Harry Decker of Ulster, spent Sunday in Towanda.

Dudley Humphrey of Galeton, spent Sunday in Towanda.

Mrs. M. M. Bostley of Milton, is visiting in Towanda.

Mrs. Helen Rosenmuller is visiting friends in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Dougherty are spending a week at Cazenovia, N. Y.

George Wattles of Robeyville, Ohio, is the guest of Towanda friends.

Born, August 6, to Mr. and Mrs. Bert Haven of Milan, a daughter.

Miss Frederika Schumach is visiting friends at Wilkes-Barre and Hazleton.

Miss Sophia Merritt of Mehoopany, is the guest of Miss Charlotte McCabe.

Walter Dimmock of Hollon Hill, was transacting business in town on Saturday.

Miss Mildred Barnes of Binghamton, is the guest of Miss Helen Crandell.

Miss Marguerite Payson of Wilkes-Barre, is the guest of Miss Edna Frisbie.

Mrs. John McAloon and Mrs. Dewey Dennis were up from Monroeton on Saturday.

Miss Bertha C. Putnam of Passaic New Jersey is the guest of Miss Lena Meredith.

Mrs. Graham Macfarlane of Louisville, Ky., is the guest of Mrs. E. O. Macfarlane.

Mrs. J. R. Post of Shores Hill, is very ill, having suffered a slight paralytic stroke.

A. S. & N. Y. passenger train killed a cow a few miles out of Williamsport Friday.

Miss Sarah Mercur who hase been visiting friends at Lansford, Pa., has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Al. Baldwin of Waverly, spent Saturday in town the guests of Mrs. A. J. Layton.

Miss Emma Bonney is visiting friends and relatives in Towanda and Powell.—Athens News.

Miss Anna Hale is spending a couple of days at Ulster, the guest of Miss Lillian Mather.

Mrs. M. J. French, who has been spending several days at Canton and Troy has returned home.

Misses Lila and Ida Norconk of Towanda, are visiting their sister, Mrs. J. H. Gillis in Sayre.

Mrs. S. G. Pierce of Towanda, is very ill at the home of her mother, Mrs. George Cranmer at LeRoy.

Miss Mildred Macdonald of Indiana, and Mildred Clark of Punxsutawney, are visiting Mrs. T. J. Fitzgerald.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Adams of Jersey City, are the guests of his sister, Mrs. L. D. Bartlett at Wysox.

Inas Marjorie Brink of Luthers Mills, is spending some time with her sister, Mrs. F. L. Holcomb, at East Troy.

S. D. Sterigere and J. T. Swackhammer of New Albany, were transacting business in Towanda on Satudray.

Mrs. L. M. Hall and children, who have been spending some time at South Eaton, have returned home.

Miss Katherine Hurley of Wesauking and Miss Julia McCue of Scranton are guests of Mrs. E. F. Leahy.

Mrs. O. E. Bennett and Miss Katherine Bennett have gone with Mrs. G. A. Dayton to stay a week at "Stonycroft."

Mrs. George Woodruff and Miss Eleanore Woodruff of Camden, New Jersey, are stopping at the Ward House.

Mrs. Charles Robbin and daughter, Bernice, have returned to their home at Auburn after a visit in Towanda and Sayre.

Hon. Charles E. Mills and wife of Athens, have arrived at Seattle, Washington, and are taking in the Alaska-Yukon exposition.

Mrs. Carl G. Bonney is spending a few days at the home of her cousin, Mrs. H. B. Burroughs of West Franklin.—Athens News.

Mrs. N. N. Betts has gone to Hancock, N. Y., where she will be the guest of her sister, Mrs. V. C. Peters at her Summer home.

Mrs. Jesse Beers returns to Providence, R. I., today after spending several weeks with her mother, Mrs. Charles D. Humphrey.

Depue & Harden the Towanda plumbers, finished the heating and plumbing work in the Bank Building Friday.—Ulster Record.

E. F. Larcom and granddaughter, Miss Delphine Larcom of Granville Centre, are spending a week with friends at Covington, Pa.

B. Kramer of Humphrey's tailoring shop, has returned from a three week's vacation spent at Rockaway Beach, and in the Catskill mountains.

Mrs. A. K. Wells and daughter, Mrs. Clawson of Potterville, are the guests of Mrs. Wells' brother, Llewellyn Harris and family. This is her first visit to Towanda in four years.

The fashion man of the Scranton Tribune says that it has been said that the ladies of that city wear socks—but he is unable to verify the report. Thinks they should, though—they are so much cooler than stockings.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Kingsbury of Bridgeport, Conn., and sister, Mrs. A. D. Coolbaugh of Elmira Heights, are spending a few days at A. H. Kingsbury's after attending the first annual reunion of the descendants of Daniel Brown at Browntown.

GROVER.

Homer Comstock of Toledo, visited his brother, Dr. G. S. Comstock, last week.

Jasper Hoagland and Morrell Hoagland of Syracuse, N. Y., sons of Mrs. Lucinda Hoagland, and the Rev. W. Wilcox, her grandson attended the funeral of Mrs. Lucinda Hoagland last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Rumsey and family of Parson Hill, Harry Woodward of Leolyn, Earl Morley of Troy, and Beatrice Hagar of Elmira, were the guests of Lee Barrett Sunday.

Edward Fleming and wife, of Sayre are visiting William Fleming.

Miss Susie McCarthy is visiting friends in Buffalo.

John Reidy of Buffalo visited Mr. and Mrs. M. Churchill last week.

Clarence Comstock of Lewisburg, spent Sunday with his parents.

Last Sunday was old folks day in the United Evangelical church at Grover, in which special service was held for the older members of church and congregation. The Rev. Jas. Price of Newville, Pa., a former pastor, conducted the services both morning and evening. All the older people who had no means of conveyance, and whose infirmities prevented them walking, were brought to church in conveyances by other parties.

BURLINGTON.

Mable Ross is seriously ill.

On his way to church Sunday morning Mr. Gerould had a bad fall, bruising his face quite badly.

Rev. and Mrs. A. H. Youell visited her parents in Elmira the first of the week.

Walter Andrus, wife and two children visited relatives in Owego most of last week.

Ross and Thomas Bacon of Towanda visited a few days last week with their aunt, Mrs. G. Essenwine.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Pierce and daughter of Pepistone, Minn., and Miss Clara Wilcox of Elmira, spent several days last week with Mrs. B. B. McDonald.

Harry Lent of the Post Express, Rochester, N. Y., is spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Lent.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Essenwine were called to Towanda last Sunday afternoon to attend the funeral of his sister, Mrs. Jennette Ross.

George Ross who was quite sick last week, is better now.

Rhoda Ross of Mansfield, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Ross. Ross.

Clint Gerould, wife and baby visited his parents one day last week.

NORTH ORWELL.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Tyrrell, Miss Florence Tyrrell and Mr. and Mrs. Emory Moore attended the wedding of Leslie Tyrrell and Mabel Kuykendall at the home of the bride in Windham, on Aug. 4.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Tyrrell and Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Alger, were guests at Old Home Week in Owego, Thursday.

The Ladies' Aid will be held at Mrs. Edgar Parks' Thursday, Aug. 19, for tea.

Mr. and Mrs. William Baxter and son Harry, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Keck and son Calvin, and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Tyrrell, received the fourth degree in the Grange Saturday evening. A fine feast was served.

The Boardman reunion was held in the hall Saturday; about 75 people were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hatswell of Needles, Calefornia are visiting friends here.

The committee for the "Old Home Picnic" have cleared up the grounds, laid out another road, and have improved facilities for making the celebrated North Orwell picnic bigger, better, and more enjoyable than ever. Everybody welcome.

LAUREL HILL.

Mr. and Mrs. Wolcot, Mrs. Fisher and son, Mrs. Mary Wilcox and two sons, Charlie and Robert, all of Sayre, were entertained at Emmett Scott's Sunday.

Mrs. Harry Fraley spent last week with her sisters at Elmira Heights. Her neice came home with her for a visit.

Miss Helen Nippard spent last week at Smithfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Oakley Darrow spent Sunday at Sayre.

Julian Sweet of Waverly, was a guest at J. D. Kline's part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carpenter entertained a party of Monday. The following were present: Mrs. Mary Dubert of Montoursville, Mr. and Mrs. George Dubert of Wellsburg, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Scott of Smithfield, Henry Heisley and daughter of Philadelphia, Rollie Heisley of Cleveland, Mr. and Mrs. Herman VanWolfradt, son and two daughters of Floss.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Havens and daughter Alice attended the Partridge and Havens reunion at Keystone Park last Thursday.

GHENT.

Mrs. Elva Ransom returned home last Wednesday from a visit to her daughter, Mrs. G. V. McAllister of Apalachin. She is slowly gaining her health.

Mr. and Mrs. Sumner Vought spent last week camping near the river at Hornbrook.

Mrs. Ora English and two children of Omaha, Neb., are spending a few weeks visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. M. Vought.

Mrs. Emily Horton of Altoona, is visiting her son Snyder in this place.

Mrs. Frances Glasser of New York city, is spending the vacation with her brother, Miles Tomkins.

BAILEY CORNER'S.

Mrs. Stanley Gilbert visited her sister, Mrs. Floyd Clark, in Elmira, part of last week.

Mrs. Charley Rockwell of Windfall, is visiting at M. H. Rockwell's.

The sad news was received here last Thursday night that Clarence Andrews of Langdon, D. C., died at his home there of typhoid fever. He was brought here on Thursday for burial. Those who accompanied his body here were his wife and two children, and mother, Mrs. Julia Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Irvine Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Vanness Alexandria and Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Bailey. They all started for home on Saturday night except Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Bailey, and Mrs. Julia Foster who expect to stay for a visit among old friends.

Mrs. R. P. Vroman took in the sights of Athens and Sayre last week and visited at Rolla Holcomb's.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Roby and two children of Elmira, have been visiting at C. J. Youman's.

Mrs. Susie Whipple and daughter spent two days last week at Canton.

Born, on Thursday Aug. 5, to Mr. and Mrs. Herman Darrow, a son.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Spencer were at Canton last Friday.

Mrs. Sallie Putnam will entertain the L. A. S. for dinner this week Thursday, August 12.

WEST BURLINGTON.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Blackwell of Towanda, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Delos Rockwell.

Messers Edward John Rockwell, Elisha Foster and Dick McKean made a trip Saturday by automobile with Andrew Strong of Columbia X Roads taking in Towanda, Sayre, Waverly and Elmira.

Miss Cora Smiley visited Mrs Harry Ballard last week,

Mrs. Eliza Phelps of Milan spent last Wednesday night with her nephew, Will Henry, and family.

Miss Marie Fitzgerald of Mainsburg is visiting friends here.

Miss Bertha Case has returned home following a month's stay with her grandmother, Mrs. A. H. Thomas, near Alba.

The Sunday school will picnic at Mt. Lake Thursday of this week.

Mrs. Charles Evans and sister, Miss Alice Rockwell, spent Friday night with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Rockwell.

FASSETT.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Balmer and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Shappee visited A. Youmans Tuesday.

L. R. Lillinghast threshed his rye the first of the week.

Mrs. Hattie Gardner of Elmira, came Tuesday evening to visit her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James Suffern, and N. Reed.

Mr. and Mrs. John Balmer of Tompson Hill, visited Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Balmer, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Moore of Comfort Hill, visited at C. F. Moore's Sunday.

Miss May Park of Big Pond, visited at Mrs. N. Reed's Tuesday and called on many friends.

James Hunt, Miss Lottie Hunt and Mrs. Mollie Smith, all of Elmira, visited Mrs. John Van Wert, Thursday; it was her birthday.

Mrs. Earl Borden of Corning, visited her sister, Mrs. Burt Trask the last of the week.

Mrs. F. H. Decker and Mrs. N. Reed visited in Athens Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Southwell, I. J. Mahaffey, Mrs. C. E. Califf, attended camp meeting at Wellsburg Sunday.

NEATH.

Rev. A. W. Seiple and family started Monday for a four weeks' vacation at Hazleton and Drums.

The annual bee at the cemetery will be Friday, Aug. 13.

Elmer Jones and family, W. J. Roberts and family, Guy Roberts and wife Mrs. Owen Roberts and daughter Amy picnicked at Warren Pond Saturday.

Mrs. Howell Harris and two children of Scranton, are visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Schuyler Davies and children of Scranton, are guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Thomas.

David Jones is visiting relatives at Wilkes-Barre.

A freight train on the Wilmington & Northern railroad was saved from wrecking at Birdsboro, near Pottstown, by a tramp. The man approached the train madly waving his hands and stopped it a short distance away from a broken rail.

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HOSTETTER'S CELEBRATED STOMACH BITTERS

VIEWERS MAKE REPORT IN P., B. & E. LAND MATTER.

Fix Prices to Be Paid Landowners in Western Part of the County.

Austin Leonard, John H. Murray, L. N. Gordon, Lyman H. Oliver, O. C. Strait, Archie R. Pollock and Dana R. Stephens, viewers in the condemnation of lands by the P., B. & E. R. R. Co., who for three days last week, were engaged in viewing nine pieces of real estate taken and occupied by this railroad company, on Saturday made their report as follows:

Hiram Lindley—1.42 acres, $1.000.
D. T. Lindley—1.23 acres, $1,600.
Guy and Egesta Lindley—.77 acres, $1,300.
H. C. Stone—1.56 acres, $1,800.
Thomas Brann—1.41 acres, $1,100.
J. B. Crowell—1.45 acres, $1,200.
F. E. Benedict—.73 acres, $500.
Elnora Lee—.91 acres, $900.
G. D. Bristol—1.24 acres, $1,000.
total acreage—10.72 acres; total amount awarded—$10,400.

The attorneys for the P., B. & E. and its receivers in the condemnation proceedings were William Maxwell, Benj. Kaykendall, Jr., and Stone & Brooks; for landowners, Sechrist & Hickok and Lilley & Wilson.

GRAND JURORS.

Citizens Who Will Inquire Into Criminal Chargees Week After Next.

The following Bradford county citizens have been summoned to serve on the grand jury which meets in Towanda Monday, Aug. 23:

Fred A. Armstrong.....Athens boro.
Galen G. Ayers.....Canton twp.
Oscar Allen.....Barclay twp.
John Brosnan.....Ulster twp.
Vernon D. Cass.....Orwell twp.
John Coveney.....Rome twp.
Philip W. Cowell.....Athens boro.
Joseph R. Evans.....Litchfield twp.
W. Eaton Frisbie.....Orwell twp.
John Flemming.....Towanda boro.
Richard Fox.....Terry twp.
John F. Hines.....Wysox twp.
Joseph H. Hemmingway Canton boro.
Arthur Harper.....Sayre boro.
Charles A. Innes.....Canton boro.
Robert E. Jackson.....Wilmot twp.
Clinton E. Knapp.....Sayre boro.
L. Platt Merrill.....Athens boro.
Fred C. Mattocks.....Springfield twp.
Samuel B. McClaud....Tuscarora twp.
Charles H. Manley.....Troy twp.
James S. Parks.....Athens boro.
William F. Packard.New Albany boro.
Dennison W. Tripp.....Athens boro.

NEW RASPBERRY PEST.

State Zoologist Tells Fruit Growers How to Kill It.

A raspberry pest, which is comparatively new, has appeared and is liable to do considerable damage in different sections of Pennsylvania. Raspberry canes, girdled by this pest, have been received by State Zoologist Surface at his office in Harrisburg, and in reporting on their condition the professor said:

"They have been girdled by an insect known as the raspberry cane borer (Oberia bimaculata). The thing to do is to cut off the twigs just below the lower puncture and burn them. This will cause the plant to throw out side branches and the damage will not be so great. It is a comparatively new pest in this state and in some sections is entirely new."

Picnic Will Be Great.

The basket picnic on the fair grounds on Friday of this week, promises to be a great event. Several good horse, automobile and running races have been arranged, as well as a number of other attractions. A 100 yard dash will be one of the features. In the morning a baseball game will be pulled off and in the afternoon the track events will keep the crowd interested. A dance will be held in the hotel afternoon and evening, and the resfreshment stands will all be open during the day. Take a basket of lunch and spend the day on the fair grounds.

Ordered to Make Inspection.

Health Officer Delanson Fenner has received orders from State Veterinarian Pearson to proceed at once and make an inspection of the townships of North Towanda, Towanda, and Wysox for the purpose of determining as to whether the dog quarantine is being enforced. Officer Fenner has been ordered to shoot all dogs found running at large without muzzles, unless in leash, and prosecute the owners.

Prohibition Plans.

The Prohibition candidates for State offices will be named at the State convention, which will be held in Pittsburg, August 26 and 27. The campaign plans will be adopted before that time, and everything will be in readiness to open the fight about September 1.

Copious Shower.

The second shower of any consequence since the 17th of June, visited Towanda Monday eve. and the good done is incalculable. The rain fell in torrents for about five minutes, settling the dust, and giving new life to vegetation. Hail fell in some sections

Who Can Beat This,

George S. Russell of Towanda, on four acres of his farm at Milan, harvested 178 bushels of wheat, thresher's measure. This is far in excess of the average yield per acre, and it is doubtful if it can be beaten.

Mother Claimed Him.

Samuel Butts, the Elmira youngster, who was captured pilfering the Bailey block Sunday, was claimed by his mother Monday morning, and taken to Elmira.

FOUR YEARS OLD GIRL BURNED TO DEATH.

Little Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Stebbins Meets Horrible Fate.

Susie, the four years old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Stebbins of Little Meadows was fatally burned on Thursday, Aug 5, while playing with a burning torch made by lighting a "cat-tail" or swamp flag saturated in kerosene. The children of the neighborhood had been allowed to indulge in this dangerous amusement and during the absence from home of the parents, the little girl met with the terrible accident.

Her screams brought neighbors to her rescue, who found her with her clothing entirely burned off of her, and her flesh deeply burned from her face to her feet.

She was at once attended by a physician, but lived only about an hour.

FISHED LETERS FROM BANK'S MAIL BOX.

Montrose Colored Youth Secures $4,200 in Thirty Days' Time.

One of the most sensational cases that has come up within the past several years in Montrose was the arrest last week of "Eddie" Goodin, a colored boy of 19 years, for robbing the combination lock drawers in the Montrose post office of some $4,200 in checks, drafts and cash.

Goodin has been pursuing his operations since about July 5, and although he secured but $41 in cash, by tearing up the checks that were sent for deposit he has caused some little trouble. The drawer that he robbed was that of the Farmers' National bank, he fishing the letters out of a broken glass aperture of about ne by one and a half inches. He made no attempt to pass the checks, tearing them up and burning them. Post Office Inspector W. A. Rose of Wilkes-Barre, was detailed on the case as soon as the bank reported the loss to Postmaster Burns and a close watch had been kept by the office employes, finally resulting in Goodin being caught in the act of taking a letter out of the drawer.

This letter was from Justice N. M. Finn of Hopbottom and contained $490 in checks. They had been given to Mr. Finn by people in that vicinity who had subscribed for stock in the new national bank which is being organized in Hopbottom.

LONE WOMAN LOSES HOME.

Though Possessed of Two Husbands She is Without Support.

Another chapter in the stirring life of Mrs. William Taggart of near Bloomsburg, whose husband, Rev. Mr. Taggart, returned as from the dead recently, after a 21 years' absence, only to again disappear, was enacted Saturday, when the home of her second husband, Samuel VanHorn, now in jail as the result of his conviction of a heinous crime in which his own daughter was implicated, was sold at Sheriff's sale.

The family will probably be evicted from the place, and as yet Mrs. Taggart has had no word from her first husband, who promised to provide a home for her as soon as he secured work.

McCann Recovering.

The remarkable and steady improvement of Joseph McCain, the Elmira man, shot by Raymon Gill, his messenger boy, in April, continues to astonish his physicians and friends. He is now able to be wheeled about in a chair on the street, and sits out out of doors much of the time. His mental condition has now become nearly clear and he is able to move his head freely. The paralysis of one side is believed to be slowly disappearing and he is able to make a slight movement of the hand and leg on that side at times.

Fence Law Repealed.

An exchange says: There are some people who forget, or perhaps having recently come into the state, do not know that the fence law of 1700 was repealed 1889 and that now owners of lands are not obliged to build fences to keep out roving cattle. The duty of every man is to take care of his own cattle so that they may do no damage to his neighbor's crops. If he does not he becomes liable to pay for the trespass.

About Dollar Road Tax.

The dollar road tax has been giving trouble all over the State, and collectors and others have been having all kinds of difficulties in collecting the same. The Commissioners of Armstrong county, to get right, wrote to the Auditor General about this tax, and in reply have received information that the additional dollar tax must be paid in each township in which property is owned.

Names in Bronze.

The name of every Pennsylvania soldier who fought in the battle of Gettysburg is to be placed on the memorial to the veterans to be erected there by the State. Bronze tablets will be placed around the base, and the names will be placed there. It is desired that these names be spelled correctly and that the name of no man who engaged in the battle be omitted.

Held to Court.

The case of the Commonwealth vs. Earl A. Knapp of Luthers Mills, charged with desertion and non support, was heard before 'Squire Orcutt Monday. The defendant was held to court. C. M. Culver, Esq., was attorney for the defendant, while Lilley & Wilson represented the commonwealth.

SHERIFF'S SALES.

By virtue of Sundry writs issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Bradford County, and to me directed, I will expose to public sale at the Court House in Towanda Borough, on

Friday, September 3, 1909,

at two o'clock p. m., the following described property, to wit:

No. 1. All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate formerly in Athens Township now Sayre Borough, Bradford County and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows to wit: Beginning at the N. E. Corner of Westbrook farm, it being the N. E. Corner of lot conveyed by the Westbrook heirs to Owen Crayton, by deed dated June 21st, 1887, recorded in deed book vol 171, at page 81 &c. running thence South 8 degrees 30 minutes West 150 6-10 feet along the Sayre Land Company's line to a corner; thence N. 83 degrees West 434 15-100 feet parallel with the Westbrook line to a corner; thence N. 8 degrees 30 minutes E. 150 6-10 feet to Westbrook's N. line; thence South 83 degrees E. 434 15-100 feet, along the same to the place of beginning. Containing 1 1-2 acres of land be the same more or less, as surveyed by Rushton Smith, May 6th 1898. Excepting and reserving from the above described premises, a strip of land five feet wide, off from the South side the whole length of the lot.

No. 2. ALSO one other lot piece or parcel of land situate formerly in Athens Township, County of Bradford and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows to wit: Beginning in the center of Pennsylvania avenue, at the S. W. Corner of lands conveyed by Harriet Mathewson et al. to Elizbeth Washburn, by deed dated September 23d, 1873, running thence S. 83 degrees 20 minures E. 1142 feet to lands of Thomas Paul; thence Southerly along said Paul's W. line 114 8-10 feet to a corner; thence in a Westerly course on a line parallel with the first described line 1121 3-10 feet to the center of Pennsylvania Avenue; thence along the center of said Avenue N. 3 degrees 9 minutes West 116 6-10 feet to the place of beginning. Containing 3 acres of land. Being same premises conveyed to grantor by Harriet Mathewson et al, by deed dated the 23rd of September 1873, recorded in Deed Book 118 page 120. September 27th 1873. Excepting and reserving therefrom lots 14 and 17, as laid down and plotted by N. F. Walker, on what is known as the Lynch plot, with foundation for house thereon.

No. 3. ALSO one other lot, piece or parcel of land situated formerly in Athens Township, now Sayre Borough County and state aforesaid, bounded and described as follows to wit: Commencing in the center of Pennsylvania Avenue at S. W. corner of lands conveyed by Harriet Mathewson and William H. Mathewson, her husband, to Lydia Buck, September 23rd, 1873, thence S. 83 degrees 20 minutes E. 1121 3-10 feet to lands of Thomas Paul; thence along said Paul's W. line S. 116 8-10 feet to a corner; thence in a Westerly course on a line parallel with the first described line 1100 feet to the center of said Avenue; thence along the center of the same N. 3 degrees 9 minutes W. 118 6-10 feet to the place of beginning. Containing 3 acres of land be the same more or less, being the same land conveyed by Harriet Mathewson, et al, to the grantors hereof, by deed dated September 23rd, 1873, and recorded in Deed Book Vol 118, at page 104 &c, being the same premises conveyed by Harriet M. LeLano and T. C. DeLano, her husband, to Margaret Lynch, by deed dated August 8th 1885, recorded in Deed Book Vol 182, at page 71 &c, Excepting and reserving from the foregoing described lot, all the following piece or parcel of land, conveyed by the said Margaret Lynch and husband, to Hannah M. Lynch, by deed dated 13th day of December 1890, and recorded in Deed Book Vol 223, at page 97 &c, and bounded and described as follows; Commencing in the center of Pennsylvania Avenue, at the South West corner of land conveyed to Lydia Buck, by deed dated September 23rd 1873, thence S. 83 degrees 20 minutes E. 150 feet to a corner; thence Southerly at right angles with the last mentioned line 116 8-10 feet to a corner; thence in a Westerly course on a line parallel with the first above described line 150 feet to the center line of said Pennsylvania Avenue; thence along the center line of the same N. 3 degrees 9 minutes W. 118 6-10 feet to the place of beginning.

NO. 4. ALSO one other lot, piece or parcel of land situate in Wysox Township, County and State aforesaid, founded and described as follows to wit: On the North by lots Nos. 5 and 8, on the East by Pennsylvania Avenue; On the South by Vine Street; and on the West by Bradford Street, being lots Nos. 6 and 7, of Block No. 8 and being each 50 feet front and 150 feet deep as will more fully appear on map of the Mercur, Morgan & Moody sub-division of East Towanda, recorded in Deed Book No. 110 at page 13, and being the same premises conveyed by Abram Nickerson and wife to M. J. Lynch and Mary Lynch by deed dated June 4th 1894, and recorded in deed Book No. 203 at page 222 &c.Seized and taken into execution at the suit of M. H. Sawtelle, Cashier vs. Mary Lynch, C C. Yocum, Administrators of F. H. Lynch, deceased.

No. 5. ALSO all that certain piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Borough of Sylvania, County and State aforesaid, and bounded as follows viz: Beginning at a post in the center of the state road a corner of lands belonging to Curtis Merritt; thence north 46 1-2 degrees, east nine and 60-100 perches to a post; thence north 86 1-2 degree, west sixty-six and 6-10 perches to a post, a corner of lands conveyed to William Scouten; thence north 2 1-2 degrees, east by said last mentioned lands one hundred and sixty-six and 5-10 perches to a post in line of lands of S. P. Tinkham; thence east 87 1-2 degree, north by lands of S. P. Tinkham and by land of William Peck sixty-six and 60-100 perches to a post in line of other lands of the parties of the first part. Thence south 2 1-2 degree, west one hundred and seventy-two and 8-100 perches to the place of beginning. Containing sixty-nine acres and thirty-seven and 5-10 perches be the same more or less. It being the east half of a farm formerly owned by John Bixby, deceased. All improved with a two story frame house, frame barn and out buildings, small orchard and fruit trees thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of Orrin McCollum vs. William D. Bixby, deceased, mortgagers, Adelina C. Bixby or Dell C. Bixby, Fred Bixby, Ernest Bixby, Ray Bixby, Burt Bixby, May Bixby Brown, Leon Bixby, Neva Bixby, Lewis Bixby, William Bixby, real owners.

No. 6. ALSO all those certain lots, pieces, parcels or tracts of land situate, lying and being in the Township of Wells, County and State aforesaid, founded and described as follows, viz: Lot No. 1 Bounded on the north by lands of Bradley Warner and the estate of Ammon Warner, on the east by lands of Timothy Gustin, on the south by lands of Bradley Warner and Alvin Swayze, and on the west by lands of Bradley Warner, containing one hundred acres be the same more or less. All improved with frame house, frame barn, horse stable, wagon house, orchard and fruit trees thereon.

No. 7. ALSO Lot No. 2. Bounded on the north by lands of Jefferson Warner, on the east by lands of Jefferson Warner, on the south by lands of Bradley Warner and Ammon Warner Estate, and on the west by lands of Bradley Warner and Charles Andrus, containing ten acres be the same more or less. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of W. P. Maxwell, Administrator, d. b. n. c. t. a. of the estate of Orrin P. Ballard, deceased &c. vs. Martin Warner, Mary Ann Warner.

No. 8. ALSO all that lot, piece or parcel of land situate in Wyalusing Township, County and State aforesaid, bounded and described as follows viz: On the north by lands of J. F. Thompson; On the East by lands of George and William Hawley; On the South by lands of John Stevens and on the West by lands of John Stevens; containing 44 acres of land be the same more or less, all improved, and being the same land conveyed to Charles A. Hawley by three separate deeds, viz: 18 1-4 acres by S. R. Thornton et al date March 6th 1872. by deed recorded in Bradford County deed book 112 at page 116 &c. 15 acres 13 perches by Hiram Elliott et al December 5th 1883, by deed recorded in said County in deed book 155 at page 204 &c, 10 acres and 34 perches of Nancy Elliott et al, October 25th 1894, by deed recorded in said County in deed book 204 at page 377 &c. with frame house, frame barn, Granery, Hog house, other out buildings and fruit trees thereon.

No. 9. ALSO one other lot, piece or parcel of land situate in Tuscarora Township, County and State aforesaid, bounded as follows viz: On the North by lands of John Chandler; On the East by lands of George W. Titus, M. J. Titus and Herbert Hutchinson; On the South by lands of G. W. Titus, M. J. Titus and Herbert Hutchinson; and on the West by lands or William Rought, containing 41 acres or land be the same more or less, about 20 acres improved, which was deeded to C. A. Hawley by two separate deeds, namely; 35 acres by C. F. Jones, October 1st 1897, by deed recorded in Bradford County, in deed book 218 at page 457, &c. and by Maggie Lewis et al December 23rd 1898, by deed recorded in said County in deed book 226 at page 131 &c. 6 acres and 60 perches of M. J. Titus, April 10th 1899, by deed recorded in said County in deed book 226 at page 133 &c, with one old frame barn thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of C. S. Lafferty and Son vs. C. A. Hawley.

No. 10. ALSO all that lot, piece or parcel of land situate in Rome Township County and State aforesaid, and bounded described as follows to wit: Beginning at the North corner of a lot of John Russell Estate adjoining lands formerly occupied by T. Layton on the West side of the highway, thence South along the public highway thirty-five rods to a stake and stone corner, thence Westerly seven rods to a stake and stone corner on the East side of Parks creek, thence Northerly along the bank of said Creek thirty-five rods to a stake and stone corner in the line of said Layton's lands, thence Easterly along line of the said Layton's land nine rods to place of beginning. Containing Two hundred and eighty equare rods more or less. This being same land deeded by Frank Fowler and wife to Louisa Vibbert, deed dated March 22nd 1877, recorded in Book.

No. 11. ALSO one other lot, piece or parcel of land situte in Rome Township County and State aforesaid, bounded and described as follows to wit: On the North by lands of Anna C. Beaman and Warren Baker Est., on the East by lands of said Anna C. Beaman, and on the South by Arba Campbell and on the West by the Estate of John Russell. Containing forty-three acres of land be the same more or less. All improved with frame house, frame barn. It being the same piece or land deeded by Huston Shores and Jennie Shores to W. Vibbert by deed dated Sept. 26th 1884 recorded Sept. 27 1884 in Deed Book No. 158, Page 346. Also deed of Fred Babcock to Zell Babcock recorded in Deed Book Vol. 267, page 102. Seized and taken into the execution at the suit of W. G. Gordon, Exr. of Wm. Pickering, deceased vs. Jay M. Russell.

No. 12. ALSO all that lot, piece or parcel of land situate in Sayre Borough County and State aforesaid, bounded and described as follows to wit: Beginning at the South west corner of Hoover and Draper streets; thence along the East line of Hoover Street 128 3-10 feet to a corner; thence Easterly 84 5-10 feet to a corner; thence Southerly 120 feet to Draper Street; thence along the North line of Draper Street 40 feet to the place of beginning and being lot number twenty-one (21) or a plot or plan made by N. F. Walker for E. D. Adamy and known as the Adamy plot with a frame dwelling house thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of Athens Building, Loan and Savings Association, vs. E. D. Adamy.

No. 13. ALSO all that lot, piece or parcel of land situate in Sayre Borough, County and State aforesaid, bounded and described as follows to wit: Beginning at a point in the East line of lands of the Lehigh Valley Railroad's land where the lands of the D. L. & W. R. R. Co's. land intersect the same; thence Southerly 259 feet to a corner of Lot No. 34; thence Easterly at a right angle with the East line of L. V. R. R. Co's. land, 135 9-10 feet to a corner in the East line of Hoover street; thence Northerly along the east line of Hoover street 23 5-10 feet to a corner in lands of the D. L. & W. R. R. Co's. land; thence along the Sourn line of same 21 feet to a corner; thence Westerly at a right angle with land of L. V. R. R. Co. 129 feet to the East line of L. V. R. R. Co's. land; thence Southerly along the East line of said L. V. R. R. Co's land 40 feet to the place of beginning and being part of lot No. 35 of the Adamy plot made by N. F. Walker, with a frame dwelling house thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit or Athens Building, Loan and Savings Association, vs. E. D. Adamy.

No. 14. ALSO all that lot, piece or parcel of land situate in Sayre Borough, County and State aforesaid, bounded and described as follows to wit: Beginning at a corner 301 feet northerly from the North west corner of the School lot, along the East line of the rights or way of the Lehigh Valley R. R. Company; thence Easterly along lot No. 26 one hundred and thirty six and nine tenths feet (136 9-10) to the West line of Hoover street; thence northerly along the West line of Hoover street forty (40) feet to a corner; thence westerly at right angles with Hoover street one hundred thirty six and nine tenths (136 9-10) feet to a corner in the East line of the right or way of the Lehigh Valley R. R. Co.; thence Southerly forty (40) feet along said right of way to the place of beginning and being lot number twenty seven (27) of the Adamy plot, with a frame dwelling house thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of Athens Building, Loan and Savings Association. vs. E. D. Adamy.

No. 15. ALSO all that lot, piece or parcel of land situate in Orwell township, County and State aforesaid, bounded and described as follows to wit: Beginning at Southeast corner of the mill lot in the center of the public highway leading North and South through Potterville; thence North three degrees West along the center of said highway eight rods; thence South eighty and three fourths degrees West sixteen rods to a post corner in line of land of G. G. Corbin; thence by said Corbin's land South three degrees East eight rods to a post corner of G. G. Corbins land; thence by the same North eighty and three fourths degrees East sixteen rods to the place of beginning, containing one hundred twenty-eight square rods of land be the same more or less. The parties of the second part hereby agree not to put any obstruction in the race leading through the said lot and under the Creamery building to obstruct a free course of the water. The parties of the first part reseve the right to go upon the said premises to make any necessary repairs upon said race. With one frame Creamery building, containing Engine, Boiler, Shafting, Separators, Churns, Vats, fixtures &c, and Ice house thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of E. M. Angle vs. The Potterville Creamery Co. Ltd. G. G. Corbin, secretary of Potterville Creamery Co. Lt'd., H. W. Chaffee, A. C. Cook, R. J. Cook.

No. 16. ALSO all that lot, piece or parcel of land situate in Sheshequin Township, County and State aforesaid bounded as follows to wit: On the North by lands of the said grantors, formerly known as the John Brink Estate; on the East by lands of S. G. Minier and M. H. Gore; on the South by lands of M. H. Gore, S. G. Townsend, Mary Anthony and Robert McDonald; on the West by lands of H. E. Rogers formerly estate of Mrs. J. R. Rogers, S. G. Townsend and the Susquehanna River, containing seventy acres of land be the same more or less. It being the same land conveyed by G. L. Horton and wife to D. W. Chaffee by deed dated April 2nd, 1898 and recorded in Bradford County in Deed Book No. 221 page 242 &c. .All improved with 1 frame house, 1 frame barn 1 small barn and other out buildings and fruit trees thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of Ruth Brigham vs. B. E. Horton, Bertha Horton.

JOHN H. DEAN, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Towanda, Pa., Aug. 12, 1909.

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION SUBMITTED TO THE CITIZENS OF THIS COMMONWEALTH FOR THEIR APPROVAL OR REJECTION BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA AND PUBLISHED BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE COMMONWEALTH IN PURSUANCE OF ARTICLE XVIII OF THE CONSTITUTION.

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing amendments to sections eight and twenty-one of article, four, sections eleven and twelve of article five, sections two, three, and fourteen of article eight, section one of article twelve, and sections two and seven of article fourteen, of the Constitution of Pennsylvania, and providing a schedule for carrying the amendments into effect.

Section 1. Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, That the following are proposed as amendments to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in accordance with the provisions of the eighteenth article thereof:—

Amendment One—To Article Four, Section Eight.

Section 2. Amend section eight of article four of the Constitution of Pennsylvania which reads as follows:—

"He shall nominate and, by and with the advice and consent of two-thirds of all the members of the Senate, appoint a Secretary of the Commonwealth and an Attorney General during pleasure, a Superintendent of Public Instruction for four years, and such other officers of the Commonwealth as he is or may be authorized by the Constitution or by law to appoint; he shall have power to fill all vacancies that may happen, in offices to which he may appoint, during the recess of the Senate, by granting commissions which shall expire at the end or their next session; he shall have power to fill any vacancy that may happen, during the recess of the Senate, in the office of Auditor General, State Treasurer, Secretary of Internal Affairs or Superintendent of Public Instruction, in a judicial office or in any other elective office which he is or may be authorized to fill; if the vacancy shall happen during the session of the Senate, the Governor shall nominate to the Senate before their final adjournment, a proper person to fill said vacancy; but in any such case of vacancy, in an elective office, a person shall be chosen to said office at the next general election, unless the vacancy shall happen within three calendar months immediately preceding such election, in which case the election for said office shall be held at the second succeeding general election. In acting on executive nominations the Senate shall sit with open doors, and, in confirming or rejecting the nominations of the Governor, the vote shall be taken by yeas and nays, and shall be entered on the journal."

Amendment Two—To Article Four, Section Twenty-one.

Section 3. Amend section twenty-one of article four, which reads as follows:—

"The term of the Secretary of Internal Affairs shall be four years; of the Auditor General three years; and of the State Treasurer two years. These officers shall be chosen by the qualified electors of the State at general elections. No person elected to the office of Auditor General or State Treasurer shall be capable of holding the same office for two consecutive terms," so as to read:—

The terms of the Secretary of Internal Affairs, the Auditor General, and the State Treasurer shall each be four years; and they shall be chosen by the qualified electors of the State at general elections; but a State Treasurer, elected in the year one thousand nine hundred and nine, shall serve for three years, and his successors shall be elected at the general election in the year one thousand nine hundred and twelve, and in every fourth year thereafter. No person elected to the office of Auditor General or State Treasurer shall be capable of holding the same office for two consecutive terms.

Amendment Three—To Article Five, Section Eleven.

Section 4. Amend section eleven of article five, which reads as follows:—

"Except as otherwise provided in this Constitution, justices of the peace or aldermen shall be elected in the several wards, districts, boroughs and townships at the time of the election of constables, by the qualified electors thereof, in such manner as shall be directed by law, and shall be commissioned by the Governor for a term of five years. No township, ward, district or borough shall elect more than two justices of the peace or aldermen without the consent of a majority of the qualified electors within such township, ward or borough; no person shall be elected to such office unless he shall have resided within the township, borough, ward or district for one year next preceding his election. In cities containing over fifty thousand inhabitants, not more than one alderman shall be elected in each ward or district."

Except as otherwise provided in this Constitution, justices of the peace or aldermen shall be elected in the several wards, districts, boroughs or townships, by the qualified electors thereof, at the municipal election, in such manner as shall be directed by law, and shall be commissioned by the Governor for a term of six years. No township, ward district or borough shall elect more than two justices of the peace or aldermen without the consent of a majority of the qualified electors within such township, ward or borough; no person shall be elected to such office unless he shall have resided within the township, borough, ward or district for one year next preceding his election. In cities containing over fifty thousand inhabitants, not more than one alderman shall be elected in each ward or district.

Amendment Four—To Article Five, Section Twelve.

Section 5. Amend section twelve of article five of the Constitution, which reads as follows:—

"In Philadelphia there shall be established, for each thirty thousand inhabitants, one court, not of record, of police and civil causes, with jurisdiction not exceeding one hundred dollars; such courts shall be held by magistrates whose term of office shall be five years and they shall be elected on general ticket by the qualified voters at large; and in the election of the said magistrates no voter shall vote for more that two-thirds of the number of persons to be elected when more than one are to be chosen; they shall be compensated only by fixed salaries, to be paid by said county; and shall exercise such jurisdiction, civil and criminal, except as herein provided, as is now exercised by aldermen, subject to such changes, not involving an increase of civil jurisdiction or conferring political duties, as may be made by law. In Philadelphia the office of alderman is abolished," so as to read as follows:—

In Philadelphia there shall be established, for each thirty thousand inhabitants, one court, not of record, of police and civil causes, with jurisdiction not exceeding one hundred dollars; such courts shall be held by magistrates whose terms of office shall be six years, and they shall be elected on general ticket at the municipal election, by the qualified voters at large; and in the election of the said magistrates no voter shall vote for more than two-thirds of the number of persons to be elected when more than one are to be chosen; they shall be compensated only by fixed satartes, to be paid by said county; and shall exercise such jurisdiction, civil and criminal, except as herein provided, as is now exercised by aldermen, subject to such changes, not involving an increase of civil jurisdiction or conferring political duties, as may be made by law. In Philadelphia the office of alderman is abolished.

Amendment Five—To Article Eight, Section Two.

Section 6. Amend section two of article eight, which reads as follows:—

"The general election shall be held annually on the Tuesday next following the first Monday of November, but the General Assembly may by law fix a different day, two-thirds of all the members of each House consenting thereto," so as to read:—

The general election shall be held biennially on the Tuesday next following the first Monday of November in each even-numbered year, but the General Assembly may by law fix a different day, two-thirds of all the members of each House consenting thereto: Provided, That such election shall always be held in an even-numbered year.

Amendment Six—To Article Eight, Section Three.

Section 7. Amend section three of article eight, which reads as follows:—

"All elections for city, ward, borough and township officers, for regular terms of service, shall be held on the third Tuesday of February," so as to read:—

All judges elected by the electors of the State at large may be elected at either a general or municipal election, as circumstances may require. All elections for judges of the courts for the several judicial districts, and for county, city, ward, borough, and township officers for regular terms of service, shall be held on the municipal election day; namely, the Tuesday next following the first Monday of November in each odd-numbered year, but the General Assembly may by law fix a different day, two-thirds of all the members of each House consenting thereto: Provided, That such election shall always be held in an odd-numbered year.

Amendment Seven—To Article Eight, Section Fourteen.

Section 8. Amend section fourteen of article eight, which reads as follows:—

"District election boards shall consist of a judge and two inspectors, who shall be chosen annually by the citizens. Each elector shall have the right to vote for the judge and one inspector, and each inspector shall appoint one clerk. The first election board for any new district shall be selected, and vacancies in election boards filled, as shall be provided by law. Election officers shall be privileged from arrest upon days of election, and while engaged in making up and transmitting returns, except upon warrant of a court of record or judge thereof, for an election fraud, for felony, or for wanton breach of the peace. In cities they may claim exemption from jury duty during their terms of service."

Amendment Eight—To Article Twelve, Section One.

Section 9. Amend section one, article twelve, which reads as follows:—

"All officers, whose selection is not provided for in this Constitution, shall be elected or appointed as may be directed by law," so as to read:—

All officers, whose selection is not provided for in this Constitution, shall be elected or appointed as may be directed by law: Provided, That elections of State officers shall be held on a general election day, and elections of local officers shall be held on a municipal election day, except when, in either case, special elections may be required to fill unexpired terms.

Amendment Nine—To Article Fourteen, Section Two.

Section 10. Amend section two of article fourteen, which reads as follows:—

"County officers shall be elected at the general elections and shall hold their offices for the term of three years, beginning on the first Monday of January next after their election, and until their successors shall be duly qualified; all vacancies not otherwise provided for, shall be filled in such manner as may be provided by law," so as to read:—

County officers shall be elected at the municipal elections and shall hold their offices for the term of four years, beginning on the first Monday of January next after their election, and until their successors shall be duly qualified; all vacancies not otherwise provided for, shall be filled in such manner as may be provided by law.

Amendment Ten—To Article Fourteen, Section Seven.

Section 11. Amend section seven, article fourteen, which reads as follows:—

"Three county commissioners and three county auditors shall be elected in each county where such officers are chosen in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five and every third year thereafter; and in the election of said officers each qualified elector shall vote for no more than two persons, and the three persons having the highest number of votes shall be elected; any casual vacancy in the office of county commissioner or county auditor shall be filled, by the court of common pleas of the county in which such vacancy shall occur, by the appointment on an elector of the proper county who shall have voted for the commissioner or auditor whose place is to be filled." so as to read:—

Three county commissioners and three county auditors shall be elected in each county where such officers are chosen, in the year one thousand nine hundred and eleven and every fourth year thereafter; and in the election of said officers each qualified elector shall vote for no more than two persons, and the three persons having the highest number of votes shall be elected; any casual vacancy in the office of county commissioner or county auditor shall be filled by the court of common pleas of the county in which such vacancy shall occur, by the appointment of an elector of the proper county who shall have voted for the commissioner or auditor whose place is to be filled.

Schedule for the Amendments

Section 12. That no inconvenience may arise from the changes in the Constitution of the Commonwealth, and in order to carry the same into complete operation, it is hereby declared that—

In the case of officers elected by the people, all terms of office fixed by act of Assembly at an old number of years shall each be lengthened one year, but the Legislature may change the length of the term, provided the terms for which such officers are elected shall always be for an even number of years.

The above extension of official terms shall not affect officers elected at the general election of one thousand nine hundred and eight; nor any city, ward, borough, township, or election division officers, whose terms of office, under existing law, end in the year one thousand nine hundred and ten.

In the year one thousand nine hundred and ten the municipal election shall be held on the third Tuesday of February, as heretofore; but all officers chosen at that election to an office the regular term of which is two years, and also all election officers and assessors chosen at that election, shall serve until the first Monday of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and eleven. All officers chosen at that election to offices the term of which is now four years, or is made four years by the operation of these amendments or this schedule, shall serve until the first Monday of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and thirteen. All justices of the peace, magistrates, and aldermen, chosen at that election, shall serve until the first Monday of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifteen. After the year nineteen hundred and ten, and until the Legislature shall otherwise provide, all terms of city, ward, borough, township, and election division officers shall begin on the first Monday of December in an odd-numbered year.

All city, ward, borough, and township officers holding office at the date of the approval of these amendments, whose terms of office may end in the year one thousand nine hundred and eleven, shall continue to hold their offices until the first Monday of December of that year.

All judges of the courts for the several judicial districts, and also all county officers, holding office at the date of the approval of these amendments, whose terms of office may end in the year one thousand nine hundred and eleven, shall continue to hold their offices until the first Monday of January, one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

A true copy of the Joint Resolution.
ROBERT McAFEE.
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

Executors' Notice.

Letters testamentary on the estate of S. B. Morse, deceased, late of LeRoy, Pa. having been granted the undersigned, notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against it must present them duly authenticated for settlement.

R. K. MORSE,
MRS. P. C. MORSE,
Executors.
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BIG TIME PLANNED FOR FAIR GROUNDS ON AUG. 13.

Horse Races, Athletic Doings and Old Fashioned Basket Picnic.

A number of enterprising Towandians are planning on furnishing a day of rare sport for the people of the county on Friday, August 13, on the East Towanda fair grounds.

On that day an old fashioned basket picnic will be held and everybody invited. At 10 o'clock a good ball game will be pulled off, and commencing at 1 o'clock in the afternoon there will be a unmber of horse races and athletic events. Here are a few of the events already scheduled:

Colt race.
2:40 trot—$50 purse.
2:25 trot—purse $50.
Farmers running race—entrance free.
Dog race.
Automobile race.
100 yard dash between Sadler and Fairbaks for $10.—Open to all.
Match trotting race.
Half mile trot against time.

In the last event, Northrup will endeavor to break the track record for a half mile, and he has a stepper which horsemen say can do the trick.

All the races are open to the people of Bradford county, and it is desired that all who have a hankering for these sports to take part and help make the meet a success.

The promoters are arranging to have a good band in attendance to enliven the occasion. All the stands will be open and refreshments of all kinds for sale all day. People are urged to bring baskets of lunch and make the fair grounds their headquarters for the day. A dance in the evening will close the program.

POLITICAL HOT SHOT.

Honey For Hon. G. W. Kipp and Vitrol For Some Others.

The following from the New York Sun is self explanatory: "To the Editor of the Sun—Sir: I dare not give you the name of the man who signed the following letter. Kimball S. Miller, Williamsport, Pa., Aug. 7.: Hon. Geo. W. Kipp, Towanda, Pa.

"My Dear Mr. Kipp: The Democratic party is God's party; it is the party for which Jefferson, Jackson, Tilden and Cleveland fought and died: it is the party for which Bryan fought and I hope died; it is the grandest disorganized mob in the United States. It has principles which for the last 13 years have been forgotten; it has been on a grand drunk and as a result has a sore head; it is now experiencing the 'cold,gray dawn of the morning after.' There is only one worse thing in politics in the United States than the Democratic party, and that is the Republican party.

"But I see the dawn of the new morning, and it is heralded by the blare of trumpets which proclaim the nomination of George W. Kipp as state Treasurer of Pennsylvania. I congratulate what is left of the Democratic party upon having succeeded in persuading you to accept this nomination. It is said that 'hope springs eternal in the human breast,' and I therefore hope for your election. If I can aid you in any way to lessen the Republican majority in this state count on me. With kindest regards, I am, very sincerely yours.

August 6.

Three Mile Running Race.

The Bradford County Agricultural society will endeavor to decide the

NEWS IN PARAGRAPHS.

Short Items of a Local and Personal Flavor.

Miss Charlotte Young is visiting in Owego.

R. B. Kerrick was over from Asylum Saturday.

The grand jury meets on Monday, August 23.

Army worms have appeared in Tioga county.

John Finan is visiting his brother at Portland, Oregon.

Miss Marjorie Moody of Rome, spent Saturday in Towanda.

A Bell 'phone has been installed in Park & Watson's office.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Allen of Sayre, spent Sunday in Towanda.

Miss Magnus of New York, is the guest of Miss Nan Horton.

Born, August 1, to Mr. and Mrs. Elton Miller of Asylum, a son.

Robert Sawtelle of Chicago is spending some time at Monroeton.

Mrs. M. Machbar of New York, is the guest of Mrs. B. Loewus.

G. S. Kingsley and John Miller were over from Asylum on Saturday.

Henry Streeter, Esq., is home from a short stay in New York city.

Born, August 7, to Mr. and Mrs. Dennis McCarty of Myersburg, a son.

C. L. Humphrey of Mechanicville, N. Y., is spending a few days in Towanda.

G. S. Page of Athens, was transacting business in Towanda on Saturday.

O. W. Hoaglin of Wysox, was transacting business in Towanda on Saturday.

Graduates of the Towanda Business college are in demand. Ask for a catalogue.

Mrs. Andrew Campbell of Groton, N. Y., is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. E. Muir.

N. H. Drake of Wesauking, was transacting business in Towanda on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Gerould and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey McGill are camping near Ulster.

Misses Elizabeth and Margaret Taylor of Herrick, were shopping in Towanda on Saturday.

Mrs. Mary Powell Webb of Chicago, is visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. Orace Powell, Pine street.

Mrs. Frank Campbell of Elmira, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. F. L. Hoffman, Third street.

Many entries are being received for the foot races to be held during the great Bradford county fair.

A subpoena in divorce has been awarded in the case of Caroline Frochlich vs. George Frochlich.

Peter Monihan of Wilkes-Barre, is spending a week in Towanda, a guest at the home of William Welsh.

Misses Pauline and Frances Spencer spent Wednesday at Cold Spring, the guests of the Misses Newman.

Miss Espy of Towanda, and Miss Mary K. Curran of Scranton, are spending a couple of weeks at Asbury Park.

Mrs. Michael Cummings and children of Cameron, W. Va., are the guests of the lady's mother, Mrs. Ryan, Pratt avenue.

W. T. J. Law has returned to his home in Buffalo, after a visit in Towanda, the guest of Captain James Bryant.

Mrs. W. R. Goodenough of Barclay, and her daughter, Miss Louise Goodenough of Buffalo, spent Saturday in Towanda.

Miss Mabel Black of Washington, D. C., is spending a month in Towanda the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Block.

Born, Aug. 6, to Dr. and Mrs. James Heermans of New York city, a son. Dr. Heermans is a son of Rev. W. S. H. Heermans.

Miss Elizabeth Spalding of Columbus, Mo., whoh as been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. I. P. Spalding, has gone to Bethlehem to visit.

Mrs. Mary E. Holmes, Mrs. Edna Holmes Hirst, Miss Gertrude Holmes, Ralph Holmes and Mark Hagerman have gone to Keuka Lake.

Mrs. Webster Crockett and son Donald, have returned to their home in Hackensack, N. J., after a visit with Towanda relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Minor and daughter, Mrs. Davis of Athens, and Miss Jennie Lewis of Towanda, are touring New York state in an automobile.

John A. Benjamin of Durell, was transacting business in Towanda on Saturday. He is preparing to sell his stock, after which he will enjoy a year's vacation.

P. H. Bosworth, claim agent for the Reading railroad, with headquarters at Philadelphia, spent Saturday and Sunday in Towanda, the guest of Commissioner Marsh.

Mrs. Jesse Vanderpool of South Towanda, who has been spending a couple of weeks in Terrytown, is now visiting in Wyalusing, the guest of Mrs. J. Morg Brown.

F. W. Clarke of New Albany, was in Towanda Friday. He represents the Olds Gas Engine company of Binghamton, and has just finished the work of installing a fine engine in the Walsh bakery.

"Camp Never Rest" is the unique name of an outing camp along the Susquehanna, near Rummerfield, occupied by the Rev. R. J. Carnow of Plains, and a score of the members of his congregation.

Mrs. Hattie D. Smith, has returned to her home in Towanda from the Packer hospital, where she recently underwent the seventh operation for the removal of a tumor. She is greatly improved, and her ultimate recovery is now assured.

EIGHT YEARS OLD BOY KICKED BY A HORSE.

Son of William Zurn Seriously Injured Yesterday.

Charles, the 8 years old son of Wm. Zurn of South Mountain, was kicked in the head by a horse owned by J. Watts Mercur of Tip Top cabin yesterday afternoon and seriously injured.

The little fellow went in the barn and in running behind a horse, scared the animal, which kicked him. The blow landed on the lad's head, fracturing the outer table of the skull, and cutting a terrible gash. The force of the blow knocked the youngster against a stone wall, forming the back of the stable, and the other side of his head was cut and bruised thereby. He was unconscious for a few minutes.

Dr. Charles M. Woodburn of Towanda, was hastily summoned, and dressed the boy's injuries. His condition is very serious, yet it is believed he will fully recover.

School Girls Reunion.

The fourth annual reunion of the school girls of Macedonia, was held at the home of Mrs. Maud Stevens at Athens on Aug. 5. Nearly all were present. The few absent ones making their presence felt by beautiful and touching letters which were read by the secretary. The bountiful dinner served on the lawn and ideal weather combined to make it a day long to be remembered. There were present at the occasion the following: Mrs. and Miss Pratt of Binghamton, N. Y.; Mrs. Greppen, Berkshire, N. Y.; Mrs. Dubois, Monroeton, Pa.; Mrs. Brennan, Mrs. Stevens, Mrs. Darling, Miss Cole, Asylum, Pa.; Mrs. Allen, Mrs. Rickey, Mrs. Martin, Mrs. Watson, Mrs. Stevens, Mrs. Fellbush, Mrs. Marshall, Towanda, Pa.; Mrs. Mulligan, Mrs. McCarthy, Mrs. Westbrook, Athens, Pa.; Mrs. Weeks, of Sayre.

Scranton Alderman Accused.

Scranton police are now searching for Alderman John C. Moran of the Twelfth ward of that city, who is wanted on a charge of extortiion, the fourth to be charged with that offense in Scranton within a year. The case grew out of the recent arrest and fining of Rev. William Hamborszky, a Hungarian Presbyterian minister and missionary on a charge of highway robbery. Testimony against him was given by four men, all of whom are charged by the clergymen with perjury. A hearing was to have been held Thursday afternoon, but Moran was not to be found all day long.

Bridge on Fire.

The covered wagon bridge was on fire Tuesday afternoon, and had it not been for Hiram Bull, A. R. Brutzman and Edward Hainesworth, great damage would have been done. Mr. Bull discovered the blaze, and with the other two named gentlemen secured pails and succeeded in extinguishing the fire. The blaze evidently was the work of some careless smoker. A few minutes more and the structure would have been a mass of flames, as the timber is very dry and burns like tinder.

Party at North Rome.

On Monday evening Mr. and Mrs. I. Morgan Weldy of North Rome entertained about forty in honor of their popular clerk, Leon R. Pipher, it being his 17th birthday. The affair was cleverly planned and proved a complete surprise to Leon whose embarrassment was the merriment of all. The evening was pleasantly spent with games and refreshments and everyone enjoyed it.

Cruel Maiden.

A young man named Foster whose business is selling carpet sweepers, went out picnicking with a young lady of Tunkhannock. Her watch-chain broke and he put the time-piece in his pocket, to carry for her. In fact he carried it so long, despite her requests for the return of her property, that she at last had a warrant issued for his arrest, and now he is in jail at Tunkhannock.

Heavy Drinkers.

George Henley of Stedge & Henley's tonsorial parlors, who has been spending some time in camp near Wysox, states that the reason the river is so low is not on account of the drouth, but because there are so many bass cavorting about in the limpid waters. These bass are heavy drinkers, and it is their intemperance which is causing the lowering of the water in the river.

Scranton Boy Still Missing.

No trace has been found of Joseph Jordan, the 15 years old Scranton high school boy, who went alone to the West Mountain on a bottany expedition Thursday noon. The most generally accepted theory is that he has met with an accident and is lying helpless in the woods.

Commissioned Notaries.

Raymond S. Bennett of Sayre, and H. O. Ayer of Ulster, have been commissioned notary publics and are now authorized to perform the duties of such officials.

Stepped in Fire.

Eleanor, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Coon, is suffering from terrible burns on her left foot. The family are enjoying camp life on the Ochs farm near Wysox, and the little girl accidentally stepped into a smouldering fire. Dr. C. S. Means dressed the injury.

Feel lanquid, weak, run down? Headache? Stomach "off"?—Just a plain case of lazy liver. Burdock Blood Bitters tones liver and stomach, promotes digestion, purifies the blood.

FOREST FIRES RAGING IN EASTERN BRADFORD.

Destructive Blaze Sweeping Through Lukens Tract in Warren Township.

Great forest fires have been raging in Eastern Bradford county for three or four days, and late last night no hopes were entertained for the quenching of the blaze until rain falls.

Last Wednesday fire started in the Luckens timber tract o nthe McCue farm in Warren township, and Sunday afternoon, the fire fighters were discouraged in their attempts to stay the flames, and were devoting their time to saving buildings in the path of he raging fire.

This is the largest timber tract in Eastern Bradford county, and so far nearly 100 acres have been burned over. Hundreds of men have been working fighting the fire, and the State fire warden at Harrisburg, who was notified, wired back that he would come on and take charge of the work of staying the flames. Yesterday afternoon it was seen that there was no way of stopping the fire, as everything is so dry that the sparks keep the flames going. A strong wind yesterday swept the flames with great fury, and it was hard work to save a number of buildings in the danger zone.

Sunday afternoon about 2 o'clock, fire again broke out in the Mott & McCraney timber tract on the W. J. McCabe farm in Rome township, and a large force of men were called into service to fight the flames. A number of men went from Towanda to the scene of the fire.

A severe fire raged in this tract last week, doing considerable damage, and it was thought that the fire had been completely extinguished, but now the belief prevails that smouldering embers from that fire were fanned into flames Sunday, and thus the second conflagration.

Troy Business Change.

A business change which had been under advisement for some time came about Monday says the Troy Gazette, when Isaac Clever sold his interest in the general mercantile business of Cleaver & Greene to his partner, Charles N. Greene who announces that he will close out the present large stock of goods. Mr. Cleaver came to Troy in 1865 and in the early 70's became a partner of George Newberry and George Peck under the firm name of Newberry, Peck & Co. Though the intervening years he has well earned the freedom from care which his retirement implies and which all will hope he may be long spared to enjoy.

Had Bad Fall.

Joseph Kirwan, the veteran hackman, was painfully injured Wednesday evening. He was going to his barn on Plank road street to do the chores, and while walking along an embankment slipped and fell into the ravine. A deep gash about four inches long was cut in the side of his head, and his nose and face was considerably bruised. Dr. C. S. Means dressed his injuries. Ten stitches were required to close the cut in his head. In spite of his injuries, Mr. Kirwan was on duty with his hack yesterday.

Good Ordinance.

At a meeting of the Wyalusing borough council held Monday evening an ordinance was considered that will prohibit the firing of toy pistols, fireworks, etc., on the streets of the borough, except by permission previously obtained from the burgess. The ordinance was left to the borough attorney to prepare and doubtless by next Fourth it will be unlawful to celebrate as carelessly and with so much danger to pedestrians as was the case at the last Fourth of July celebration.

The Banner Plum Tree.

On the lot of C. F. Heverly, Fourth street, is the banner plum tree of the town. The tree is literally loaded with luscious fruit, the limbs bending to the ground. The rich yellow clusters from 25 to 50 each, form a thing of beauty as well as bushels of sweet anticipations for the Winter's store.—Bradford Star.

Tioga County Boy Drowned.

LeRoy Dunham, aged about eighteen years, whose home is at Antrim, Tioga county, was drowned in Pine creek, at a point between Cedar Run and Blackwells, about 6 o'clock Wednesday evening. He was of a party from Antrim who had gone into camp there on a fishing expedition. They went in bathing and Dunham got in over his depth and was drowned.

Sayre Takes the Banner.

Years ago, Towanda and Towanda township were the champion cost makers in Bradford county, but now Sayre has the banner. Rough estimates made from figures in the county offices show that costs bills from Sayre are greater than from all other parts of the county combined.

The State Normal School, Bloomsburg, Pa., will open the Fall term, Tuesday, September seventh, 1909. A strong corps of experienced teachers. A Preceptress to care for the young ladies. The Gymnasium, Library, Laboratories and Model School are directed by trained specialists, to the great advantage of all earnest students. Those preparing to teach or for business, or for college, or desiring a course in music, will find here, at very low rates, a good school. Address, Rev. D. J. Waller, Jr., Principal, Bloomsburg, Pa. aug5-4t

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SAYRE MEN IN BOTHER OVER "NIGGER HEAD" GAME.

Litchfield People "Broke" the Operator, and Now There is Trouble.

The Sayre correspondent of the Waverly Free Press tells this story, which has to do with a Fourth of July celebration at Litchfield, a "nigger head" game and the "breaking" of the operator:

"On the third day of July last the citizens of Litchfield celebrated the glorious. They advertised extensively and promised a big crowd. A man named Jones, who formerly was a grocery clerk in Sayre, but who is now engaged in selling country produce and at the same time running a small store at Litchfield, promoted the celebration, and some time previous to the celebration he came over to Sayre looking up talent for exhabition purposes. He engaged "Jack" Brillhart for this purpose and also secured the services of Joe Harris, the well known night clerk at Kasper's restaurant. Jones had what is known as a "nigger" game set up on the grounds and Harris was placed in charge of this feature of the celebration while Brillhard gave an outside free exhibition. The "nigger" game is an old one. A colored gentleman stands behind an upright platform that somewhat resembles the back stop on a baseball diamond. There is a hole in this platform about the size of a colored gentlemen's head. The colored gentleman places his head in this hole and a dollar is offered to every man who will throw a ball and strike the colored gentleman on the nose. Of course the colored gentleman ducks and this is impossible, but as a further inducement to gather in the nickles, a good cigar is offered to the man who is lucky enough to throw three balls through the hole. Harris says that he ran this game awhile at the request of Jones and in doing so ran out of cigars. He says that those Litchfield farmers are wonders when it comes to throwing a ball and that he soon went broke. He hunted up Jones and told him that he was broke. Jones told him to pay the colored gentleman and close the game. Harris says that he gave the colored man a dollar, and when he figured up, discovered that he was out about thirty-five dollars.

"Wednesday morning a constable came over from Litchfield and he was armed with a warrant for Harris and Brillhart. The latter was not to be found, but Harris was located at a restaurant and was placed under arrest. From the contents of the warrant it is not just clear what Harris is charged with. The document commands the constable to take the bodies of Brillhard and Harris on account of a deal with Jones. The warrant was issued by a squire over at Litchfield and Harris is to appear before that official on Tuesday next. He gave $300 bail for his appearance."

They Get Commission Jobs.

Governor Stuart has announced the following appointments: Louis Wagner, R. Dale Beason, John R. Brooke Philadelphia; Lewis T. Brown, Irvin K. Campbell, Pittsburg; Alexander McDowell, Mercer; R. Bruce Ricketts, Wilkes-Barre; W. Penn Loyd, Mechanicsburg, and John Richards Boyle, Reading, to be members of the Commission on the Fiftieth Anniversary of the Battle of Gettysburg. John W Jordan, Julius F. Sachse, Herman B Ames, Philadelphia; Frank R. Diffenderfer, Lancaster; Boyd Crumrine Washington, Pa.; Charles Tubbs, Osceola, and Ethan Allen Weaver, Germantown, to be members of the Advisory Commission of the Preservation of Public Records.

Tree Burned Like Torch.

Lightning struck a tree on the Spencer farm in Wysox township Monday evening, setting it on fire. The tree burned all the evening, like a torch, it having become thoroughly dried during the long drouth.

Marriage Licenses.

Marriage licenses were issued on Saturday to Grove Rogers of Litchfield, and Ora Marsh of Nichols; Chauncey P. Blessing of Ira Station, and Myrtle Stevens of Hanible, N. Y.

LITCHFIELD.

Mrs. Wirt Munn and daughter Ione of Sayre, have returned home after spending some time with the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lurcock.

Miss Helen Mathers of Luthers Mills, is visiting Alene Rockwell for a few days.

Miss Edith and Charlotte Bean spent a few days last week with Olive Herrick of East Athens.

Miss Grace Gardiner spent a few days last week at Brink Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd. Rockwell of Sayre, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Campbell.

Miss Olive Herrick of East Athens, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Burt Chandler.

Miss Alice Drake, who won in the contest given by the Sayre Times-Record, was taken sick with the measles at Atlantic City and had to return home Friday morning.

Miss Maggie Plants and Miss Edna Miller visited at Owego last week.

Vagaries of a Cold.

You can never be quite sure where a cold is going to hit you. In the fall and winter it may settle in the bowels, producing severe pain. In the summer it may give you colic with diarrhoea or summer complaint. "Do not be alarmed nor torment yourself with fears of appendicitis or inflammation of the bowels. At the first sign of the pain or cramp take Perry Davis' Painkiller in warm, sweetened water and relief will come at once. There is but one Painkiller, Perry Davis'. It is now put up in a large 35c. size as well as the regular 50c. size.

LATE LOCAL BREVITIES.

Short Paragraphs Gathered in and About the County.

About 50 Lehigh engines have been stored at Sayre.

Rev. E. M. Mills, D. D., is home from a visit in Ohio.

Mrs. E. W. Hale and son, Henry, are sojourning at Asbury Park.

Mrs. O. D. Groff of Hollon Hill, was shopping in town on Saturday.

Miss Margaret Chilson is the guest of Miss Nettie Cook at Powell.

Rev. H. A. Albott is spending a couple of weeks at Utica, N. Y.

Miss Lizzie Taylor of Herrickville, was shopping in town on Saturday.

Mrs. John E. Dayton of Buffalo, spent Friday in town with relatives.

Miss Louise Snyder of Wyalusing, is the guest of Miss Anna Marshall.

Mrs. Harry Lee Wyatt of New York, is the guest of Miss M. Virginia Frost.

Mrs. Stanley C. Moore and son, Raymond, have returned from Chatauqua.

J. H. Deegan of Dushore, spent yesterday in the Bradford county metropolis.

B. N. Ackley of Wyalusing, was among the many in Towanda on Saturday.

Mrs. H. Seigel and son William have returned from a visit in New York city.

Jesse Miller of Powell, is on a business trip to New York and Philadelphia.

Misses Lillian Mather and Marion Sawtelle of Ulster, spent Friday in town.

Mrs. John Meredith and son Howard are spending the week at Williamsport.

Miss Ella Ries of Scranton is the guest of Miss Mildred Kerrick at Durell.

Born, August 6, to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Powell of North Towanda, a son.

Carl Fanning of New York, is visiting his parents, Judge and Mrs. A. C. Fanning.

Mrs. W. C. Park and Miss Catherine Park spent Saturday with friends at Monroeton.

Miss Mildred Barnes of Burlington, is the guest of Miss Helen Crandell on Fourth street.

Miss Adah Chamberlain of Ocean City, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Eilenberger.

H. C. Campbell and H. H. Soper of Burlington, spent Sunday at Orson Campbell's at Wysox.

Charles Snyder, general manager of the Ahtens laundry, was in the City of Promise yesterday.

Mrs. Ernest Pickett of Towanda, was taken to the Packer hospital for treatment on Saturday.

A subpoena in divorce has been awarded in the case of Margaret McNab vs. Robert McNab.

Mr. and Mrs. Burr Tracy and Captain Joseph P. Tracy are spending several days at Monroeton.

Work has been commenced on the new building to be erected on the Athens driving park grounds.

F. C. McKee of Carlisle, spent Saturday and Sunday in Towanda, the guest of his brother, E. B. McKee.

Dr. and Mrs. A. L. Mathews of Callaway, Neb., were over Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cole at Sunny Side.

Miss Lillian Newell has returned home after spending a few days with her aunt, Mrs. Lewis Warburton, at Sayre.

Miss S. Shipley of Philadelphia, has been spending a few days in Towanda, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Elwell.

Great preparations are being made for the picnic to be held on the East Towanda fairgrounds on Friday of this week.

Harold and Alfred Dittrich, who have been the guests of Mrs. William Dittrich, returned on Saturday to Detroit, Mich.

The Democrat state nominees will be officially notified of their selection at a meeting to be held at Williamsport on August 25.

Miss D. Nettie Lyon, who was called to Denver, Colo., by the illness of her brother, L. L. Lyon, reports his condition as slightly improved.

Exeter is the smallest township in Wyoming county, but the new survey of the division line between that place and Northmoreland will probably make it smaller still.

Miss Dorothy Passage, who has been the guest of Miss Frances Sawyer at Canton has returned home and is the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Edward Overton, at the Ward house.

The A. D. Dye Bible class of the Methodist church, together with the members of the Sunday school, and all others who desire to attend, will picnic on the fair grounds tomorrow, Wednesday.

The parents of Joseph Jordan, the missing Scranton school boy, have secured a number of bloodhounds from New York state and they will be set on the trail of the boy as soon as they arrive today.

Mail Carrier Ezra McIntyre and daughter, Mrs. Fairchild and Miss Pauline McIntyre, and granddaughters, Misses Edna and Marion Fairchild, are visiting in Binghamton, Milford, Sidney and New Berlin, N. Y.

Miss Pauline Camp, who has been visiting friends and relatives for the past month in Mount Vernon, N. Y., returned home on Saturday accompanied by her brother, G. E. Camp and wife who are spending their Summer vacation with Mr. Camp's people Asa W. Camp of Herrick.

ANOTHER SECTION OF THE P. B. & E. LOCATED.

Viewers Make Award For Land Taken From Wallace M. Bowman.

Another section of the far famed P. B. & E. railroad has been definitely located.

Tuesday a board of viewers consisting of S. F. Wilson, W. F. DeWitt, W. A. Bennett, H. M. Spalding, W. T. Howie, John F. Hunt and John J. Spalding inspected the proposed right of way through the lands of Wallace M. Bowman in the townships of Monroe and Franklin, and awarded in his favor.

In Franklin township, the P. B. & E. will use .40 acres, for which Mr. Bowman will receive $178.75; while in Monroe township, the viewers have decided that he is entitled to $2,401 for 4.01 acres desired for right of way by the P. B. & E.

The work and finding of the viewers was made necessary on account of the inability of Mr. Bowman and the P. B. & E. company to agree upon a price.

POWELL.

Messers Will and Floyd Madigan of Highland, spent Sunday with Harry Eddy.

Clayton Cranford of Black spent Sunday at his home in this place.

Mrs. Clark Fuller, and daughter Flora, have returned home after a three weeks visit in Sheshequin.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brown of Laquin, spent Sunday with the former parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Brown.

The Misses Harding of Towanda spent Thursday with Rena Hall.

Misses Mable Jones and Nellie Cron have returned to their homes at Highland, after spending a week with Jessie Crawford.

The Shraeder reunion was held at the home of John Shraeder, Saturday, August 7. An enrollment of eighty-five relatives were present.

Mrs. Elizabeth Farr and Mrs. Jud Rundell of Monroeton spent Thursday with Mrs. Mont Farr.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Eddy of Athens, visited relatives in this place, the past week.

Miss Sakey Swain of Philadelphia, is spending her vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Swain.

MAC.

Mrs. Lora Lane had her house reshingled last week. John Melville of Luther's Mills did the work.

Mrs. Wayland Lane visited friends in Sayre last week.

Several members of J. Wrisley's family are sick with measles.

Mrs. Orville T. Putnam has returned to her home in Washington.

Miss Calista Hiney of North Towanda, visited her sister, Miss Ida Ford, a few days last week.

Mrs. H. W. Grennell and sons Leland and Keith are guests at C. F. Grennell's.

TERRYTOWN.

Bertha Conant of Sugar Run, visited Mabel Fassett last week.

Ethel and Florence Robertson of Orwell, were guests of Bessie and Rine Proof a few days recently.

Mary Mulligan of Wyalusing and Marguerite Malone of Scranton, spent Monday at J. E. Dodge's.

Ruth and Maud Kinne of Waverly are visiting their aunt, Mrs. E. H. Capwell.

Cheapest accident insurance—Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Stops the pain and heals the wound. All druggist sell it.

Application in Divorce.

To Hester A. Bennett. In the Court of Common Pleas of Bradford County, No. 263, February Term, 1909. You are hereby notified that Geo. W. Bennett, your husband has applied to the Court of Common Pleas of Bradford County for a divorce from the bonds of matrimony, and the said Court has appointed, Monday, Sept. 6, 1909, at the Court House in Towanda, for hearing the said George W. in the premises, at which time and place you may attend if you think proper.

JOHN H. DEAN, Sheriff.
Towanda, Pa., Aug. 12, 1909.-4t

Application in Divorce.

To Emil J. Rauscher. In the Court of Common Pleas of Bradford County, No. 265, February Term, 1909. You are hereby notified that Emma L. Rauscher, your wife, has applied to the Court of Common Pleas of Bradford County for a divorce from the bonds of matrimony, and the said Court has appointed, Monday, Sept. 6, 1909, at the Court House in Towanda, for hearing the said Emma L. in the premises, at which time and place you may attend if you think proper.

JOHN H. DEAN, Sheriff.
Towanda, Pa., Aug. 12, 1909.-4t

Application in Divorce.

To Raymond E. Hinkley. In the Court of Common Pleas of Bradford County, No. 215, February Term, 1909. You are hereby notified that Anna S. Hinkley, your wife, has applied to the Court of Common Pleas of Bradford County for a divorce from the bonds of matrimony, and the said Court has appointed, Monday, Sept. 6, 1909, at the Court House in Towanda, for hearing the said Anna S. in the premises, at which time and place you may attend if you think proper.

JOHN H. DEAN, Sheriff.
Towanda, Pa., Aug. 12, 1909.-4t

Application in Divorce.

To George Sherwood. In the Court of Common Pleas of Bradford County, No. 24, May Term, 1909. You are herehereby notified that Esther Sherwood, your wife, has applied to the Court of Common Pleas of Bradford County for a divorce from the bonds of matrimony, and the said Court has appointed, Monday, Sept. 6, 1909, at the Court House in Towanda, for hearing the said Esther in the premises, at which time and place you may attend if you think proper.

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MOUNTAIN LAKE.

The following young people, chaperoned by Mr. and Mrs. Grove Lane, spent a few delightful days at Montgomery Cottage, Mt. Lake: Misses Clara Haight, Ethel Brown, Flora, Irene and Ada Allen, Hazel and Dora Ross, Cora Carman, Messrs Glenn Allen, Henry and Dean Ross and Masters Eugene and Clifford Lane. They entertained during their stay, Mrs. H. H. Allen, Mrs. F. E. Brown, Mrs. Lloyd Brown, Misses Gertrude and Ethel Campbell, Clara Ross, Leah Wakley, Messrs. Lee Lenox, D. A. and Theron Strope, Hugh Allen, Frank Rockwell, Fay Wheeler, Ralph Strope, Chas. Patterson, Harold Morley and Horace Lewis.

HANDS AND FEET ITCHED 12 YEARS

Suffered Terribly from Eczema which Made Hands and Feet Swell, Peel and Get Raw—Arms Affected, Too—Gave Up Hope of Cure.

USED CUTICURA AND WAS QUICKLY CURED

"I suffered from eczema on my hands, arms and feet for about twelve years, my hands and feet would swell, sweat and itch, then would become callous and get very dry, then peel off and get raw. I tried most every kind of salve and ointment without success, only got temporary relief. As soon as I would leave off using them I would be as bad as ever. I tried several doctors, took arsenic for two years and at last gave up thinking there was a cure for eczema. A friend of mine insisted on my trying the Cuticura Remedies but, supposing they were the same as other 'cures' I had tried, I did not give them a trial until I got so bad that I had to do something. I secured a cake of Cuticura Soap, a box of Cuticura Ointment and a bottle of Cuticura Resolvent and by the time they were used I could see a vast improvement and my hands and feet were healed up in no time. I used several bottles of Cuticura Resolvent. This was over a year ago and have had no trouble since. I think I am entirely cured. Charles T. Bauer, R.F.D. 65, Volant, Pa., Mar. 11, 1908."

BABIES CURED

Of Torturing, Disfiguring Humors by Cuticura.

The suffering which Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment have alleviated among skin-tortured, disfigured infants and children, and the comfort they have afforded worn-out and worried parents have led to their adoption in countless homes as a priceless treatment for the skin and blood. Eczema, rashes, and every form of itching, scaly humor are speedily cured, in the majority of cases, when all else fails.

Complete External and Internal Treatment for Every Humor of Infants, Children and Adults consists of Cuticura Soap (25c.) to Cleanse the Skin, Cuticura Ointment (50c.) to Heal the Skin and Cuticura Resolvent (50c.), (or in the form of Chocolate Coated Pills, 25c. per vial of 60) to Purify the Blood. Sold throughout the world. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston, Mass.

Mailed Free, Cuticura Book on Skin Diseases.

Public Sale of Real Estate.

The undersigned executrix of Sarah C. Schultz, late of Towanda borough, deceased, will expose to public sale at the door of the court house in Towanda, Pa., on Friday, September 3, 1909, at 10 o'clock a. m., all of that lot situate at Lake Wesauking, Wysox township, Bradford county, Pa., situate on the east side of the lake and being 75 feet by 250 feet deep, with a frame dwelling house, out-buildings and other improvements thereon. Terms of sale—50 per cent. on the property being struck down, and the balance on final confirmation by the court. Mrs. J. I. WESTOVER, Executrix. 12aug3t

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WAITRESSES at the Glen Springs, Watkins, N. Y.; salary $15 per month with room, board and laundry. 25jly4w

HIGHEST cash prices paid for all kinds of Hides and Wool. Middaugh & Schoonover, Bridge St., Towanda. 13maytf

PERSONAL ITEMS, and other items of interest wanted for publication. If you have friends or relatives from out of town visiting you let The Review know it. We give the warmest kind of thanks for such items. Telephone or send in your news to The Review.

FOR SALE.

CIDER MILL for sale cheap—A Boomer & Boschert 4 screw press with steel beams, good as new; three cider evaporators. Anyone wishing to invest in the cider business will do well to investigate this deal. Address Eagle Bottling Works, Elmira, N. Y. 12aug3t

$400 BUYS good seven room house on ¾ acre lot, in village of Granville Center, Pa.; centrally located, convenient to church, school and stores. In good community, and a bargain. H. H. Heald, Granville Center, Pa. 29jytf

FOR SALE!. Property in village of East Canton, Brad. Co., Pa. Desirable and pleasant 8-room house, small barn, good water, 2-3 a. land. Two churches store and school convenient. Excellent community. A. D. Lawrence, New Albany, Pa. feb18tf

TWO good farms in Wyalusing township. The Elias Vaughan homestead, containing 130 acres, and the Frazer homestead of 70 acres. Inquire on premises, or address, Mrs. N. L. Hollon, Wyalusing, Pa. 15aug-tf

FIVE farms, seven houses and lots, 50 building lots. For description inquire of S. Bergen Park, Towanda, Pa. 14feb-tf